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REDUCE WAR REVENUE

REPUBLICANS OF WAYS AND
MEANS COMMITTEE SO
DECIDE.

CUBANS WILL HAVE TO WAIT

As the Island Was the Cause of an In-
creased Revenue Levy the Burden
Should Be Removed From This
Country Before Any Concessions
Are Made—Reductions Will Aggre-
gate \$68,000,000.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Repub-
lican members of the ways and means
committee held a private conference
and decided to frame a bill for the re-
duction of war revenue taxes before
proceeding further with the subject of
Cuban reciprocity. Chairman Payne
at once called a meeting of the full
committee for 11 a. m., when work on
the war revenue reduction will begin.
No draft of a bill has been prepared
by the Republican members, but it is
pretty fully understood that the ma-
jority is prepared to favor a measure
effecting very large reductions, amount-
ing practically to a repeal of the en-
tire war taxes, and aggregating about
\$68,000,000. The restrictions of recent
hearings to tea and beer led to the be-
lief that reductions might be confined
to these two articles, but the senti-
ment of the majority now appears to
be favorable to a much larger reduc-
tion. At the conference it was the
prevailing view that as Cuba had been
the cause for incurring the war re-
venue taxes the burden should be re-
moved from this country before con-
sidering the extent of relief to be
granted to Cuba. The question of
what percentage of reduction in tariff
rates could be made for Cuba was not
considered at the meeting owing to
the determination to leave this until
after the war revenue reductions had
been accomplished.

PERMANENT CENSUS BUREAU.

Provisions of the Bill Reported to the
House of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The bill for a
permanent census bureau, which has
been reported by the house committee
on census, provides that the present
bureau organization shall continue
until July 1, 1902, when it shall be
superseded by the permanent bureau,
the personnel of which shall consist
of a director at \$5,000 and 22 clerks at
various salaries. All persons in the
bureau at the date of the passage of
the act are placed under the civil ser-
vice rules.

The bill provides that after comple-
tion of the regular work of the census
the director shall collect statistics re-
lating to special classes, namely, in-
sane, criminals, public indebtedness,
electric light and power, transporta-
tion by water, express business, mines,
etc. To procure such statistics the bill
authorizes the director to appoint spe-
cial agents at \$6 per diem. The bill
also authorizes the director of the
census in 1903 to collect manufacturing
statistics and such other statistics
relating to agriculture, mining, etc.,
as may be required of him by congress.

PRESS CENSORSHIP AT MANILA.

Senate Has a Very Spirited Debate on
the Question.

Washington, Jan. 30.—For an hour
the senate had under discussion the
question whether a censorship of news

dispatches exists in Manila. While no
turbulent scenes were enacted the de-
bate for a time was very spirited. The
secretary of war was quoted as say-
ing that no press censorship now ex-
isted in the Philippines and a letter
from General Gracely, chief signal officer
of the army, was presented by Mr.
Beveridge of Indiana, making the
statement officially that there was no
censorship of press dispatches and
that "the press is entirely free."
It was contended by the opposition
that a press censorship did exist in the
Philippines and that copies of every
news dispatch filed with the cable
company was filed with the military
authorities. That it was maintained,
constituted a virtual censorship.
Mr. Cullom, chairman of the com-
mittee on foreign relations, delivered
an extended and carefully prepared
speech on the history of the reciprocity
negotiations.

ANTI-OLEOMARGARINE BILL.

Majority and Minority Reports Are
Filed in the House.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The majority
and minority reports on the anti-oleo-
margarine bill have been filed in the
house. The majority report is con-
curred in by all the members of the
agricultural committee except Messrs.
Wadsworth (N. Y.), Connell (Pa.),
Scott (Kan.), Williams (Miss.) and
Allen (Ky.).
It summarizes the extent of the in-
jury claimed to be done to the butter
and dairy interests by the sale of man-
ufactured products colored to imitate
the genuine article. The minority
urges a substitute which they say is
designed not to prevent the manufac-
ture or sale of oleomargarine, but to
prevent it from being fraudulently sold
for butter.

HONORED M'KINLEY.

Dead Statesman's Birthday Fittingly
Observed.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—Cantonians
paid loving tribute to the late Presi-
dent McKinley in a memorial meeting
at the Tabernacle, which was partici-
pated in by people in all walks of life
to the number that overtaxed the big
enclosure where many of the same peo-
ple had so often listened to the words
of their old friend and neighbor.
The chief orator of the meeting was
Hon. William Dudley Foulke of In-
diana, the warm personal friend of the
late president. A short address was
also delivered by Hon. George H.
Laughlin, W. Va., who as a Canton
manufacturer became the close friend
of Mr. McKinley. Dr. Josiah Hartzell
of Canton, a lifelong friend, spoke on
"The Home Ties of President McKin-
ley."

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—McKinley
Memorial day was observed in the
Lincoln public schools, where pupils
made contributions to the Canton
monument fund, and by exercises at
night under direction of the Grand
Army post, at which the president's
favorite hymns were sung and eulogies
on his life and character pronounced.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 30.—Special
exercises in honor of William McKinley
were held in the schools and col-
leges throughout Utah. A feature was
the receiving of contributions for the
McKinley monument fund. No child
was allowed to contribute more than
5 cents.

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—Memorial
services in memory of the late Presi-
dent McKinley were held here by the
Farragut and McPherson corps of the
W. R. C. Major William Warner de-
livered the principal address. Similar
services were held by several Jewish
societies.

Denver, Jan. 30.—The legislature
adopted resolutions containing a spe-
cial tribute to the great services and
pure life of President McKinley, de-
ploring the manner of his death and
appealing to all legislative bodies to
stamp out anarchy.

CUT THE GRAIN RATES

RAILWAY OFFICIALS BEFORE THE
INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION.

CLAIM IT IS NECESSARY

The Practice Is the Natural Result of
Competitive Conditions—If Any Ar-
rangements Could Be Made That
Would Result in Bona Fide Observ-
ance of Published Tariffs Changes
in Rates Would Be Made.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Some impor-
tant admissions of rate cutting were
made at a hearing given by the inter-
state commerce commission in contin-
uance of the investigation begun at
Kansas City on Jan. 9. Vice Presi-
dents Paul Morton of the Atchison and
J. M. Johnson of the Rock Island, and
J. M. Monroe, traffic manager of the
Union Pacific, testified. All the wit-
nesses admitted that the published
tariff rates on grain moving in and out
of Kansas City had not been observed.
They explained the methods by which
the lower rates actually were accorded
and contended that these concessions
were necessary. They conceded that
there were favored shippers on most
of the transcontinental lines, but
claimed the practice was the natural
result of the competitive conditions
of transcontinental traffic. The most
serious cutting of rates, they said, pre-
vails between Kansas City and Chi-
cago. The witnesses admitted that at
a time when the published rate from
Kansas City to Chicago was 12 cents
per 100 pounds there was practically
no grain moved at a rate above 7
cents, and more or less of this traffic
was carried at the rate of 6 cents.

Without admitting that the observ-
ance of the published tariff by all the
lines and in all cases would operate to
the undue prejudice of Kansas City,
Messrs. Morton and Johnson, on the
part of their roads, the only two that
run both east and west from Kansas
City, stated that if any arrangements
could be made, or any plan be devised
which would result in actual bona fide
observance of the published tariffs,
some changes in the rates would be
very freely made.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY'S APPEAL.

Text of the Document Made Public by
the Navy Department.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The appeal
of Admiral Schley, which was deliv-
ered to the president about a week
ago, has been made public by the navy
department. The appeal asks for a
review of the findings of the court of
inquiry and is made on three grounds,
each of which is based on the findings
of Admiral Dewey, as opposed to the
majority report.

The first ground of appeal is that
Secretary Long is in error in stating
that the court excluded testimony to
show who was senior officer at the
battle of Sanlago and entitled to the
credit due for the victory. The peti-
tioner asks that Secretary Long's en-
dorsement on the point be annulled
and Admiral Dewey's statement ap-
proved.

The second ground of appeal relates
to the efficiency of the blockade of
Santiago, on which the majority of the
court failed to express an opinion. The
petitioner is asked to substitute Ad-
miral Dewey's holding that "the block-
ade of Santiago was effective."

The third ground concerns the pas-
sage of the flying squadron from Key
West to Cienfuegos and thence to San-
tiago. The president is asked to set
aside and annul the opinion of the ma-
jority of the court wherein it disapproves
with Admiral Dewey's opinion that the
passage was made from Key West to
Cienfuegos with all possible dispatch,
having in view the importance of ar-
riving off Cienfuegos with sufficient
coal; that the blockade of Cienfuegos
was effective, and, finally, that the pas-
sage from Cienfuegos to a point off
Santiago was made with as much dis-
patch as possible, while keeping the
squadron a unit. The petitioner con-
cludes:

"And your petitioner most respect-
fully states that only by the action for
which he prays in this resolution can
exact justice be done him within the
contemplation of the precept under
which the said court sat and whence it
derived its authority."

NATIONAL BANK CIRCULATION.

Is Being Retired at the Rate of Three
Million Dollars a Month.

Washington, Jan. 30.—During the
months of November, December and
January, national bank circulation has
been retired by the deposit of lawful
money with the treasurer of the Unit-
ed States to the amount of \$3,000,000
per month, the maximum amount
which the law permits to be retired
during any calendar month.

Applications have been received by
the comptroller of the currency for
the retirement of a like amount dur-
ing the month of February.

Charges Against Metcalf Unfounded.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The senate
committee on pensions has agreed
unanimously to report favorably the
nomination of General Wilder S. Met-
calf as pension agent at Topeka, Kan.
This decision was based on the find-
ing of the sub-committee that he was
not guilty of the charges against him

LITTLE DAMAGE DONE.

Colombian and Revolutionary Fleets
Have an Engagement.

Panama, Colombia, Jan. 30.—The
Colombian government fleet, consist-
ing of the steamers Boyaca and Chu-
cuito and the armed launch General
Campo, which left here to make an at-
tempt to break the blockade of Agua
Dulce, where the revolutionary fleet
was last seen, and to communicate
with General Castro, the Colombian
commander, met the insurgent steamer
Padilla at Yeguala, 30 miles from Pan-
ama, and opened fire on her. The re-
volutionary steamers Darien and Gaitan
appeared on the scene soon after the
engagement began. The fire of the
Chucuito was so well directed that it
caused the revolutionary fleet to draw
in towards the shore, where the en-
emy's ships were protected by land
batteries. The Chucuito and Boyaca
then retired unmolested and arrived
here at 5 p. m. The General Campo
was not engaged.

The forces of General Herrera, the
revolutionary commander, are at San
Carlos, 40 miles from Panama.

DENIED BY DR. LEYDS.

Boers Have Not Asked the Mediation
of Holland.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The Patrie publishes
an interview with Dr. Leyds, who de-
nies that the representatives of the
South African republics in Europe
asked for the mediation of Holland in
South African affairs, or authorized
Dr. Kuyper, the Dutch premier, to
make propositions for peace.

"There can be no conditions for the
British government to examine," says
Dr. Leyds. "There is only one con-
dition; the British government knows it
sufficiently well and need not examine
it further. From the intentional am-
biguity of Mr. Balfour's statement in
the house of commons it is evident
that this is mere maneuver."

HAS A BUSY DAY.

Admiral Schley Follows the Louisville
Programme of Entertainment.

Louisville, Jan. 30.—Admiral Schley
moved through the heaviest sleet
storm that Louisville has seen in many
years while following the programme
of entertainment prepared for him by
the board of trade. In spite of the bad
weather more than 2,000 persons visit-
ed the board of trade during the morn-
ing and shook the admiral's tired but
still ready and willing right hand.
Lunch at the Pendennis club followed,
and later the admiral was the guest
of honor at the annual banquet of the
board of trade at the Galt House.

More Riches in the Yukon.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 30.—M. J. Hep-
burn of this city has left for London
to enlist capital in the conglomerates
on Indian river, 28 miles from Dawson.
Miners who have worked in the
South African gold fields have dis-
covered, he says, that escarpments of
the Indian river valley are composed
of immense masses of conglomerates,
identical in composition with those
which have yielded so many millions
of treasure in South Africa.

Socialists Gain a Seat.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Socialists have
gained the seat in the reichstag for
Dachau, Saxony, by electing Herr
Greenberg, a manufacturer, by a ma-
jority of 322 votes over the National
Liberal and Conservative candidates.
The Socialists gained 2,000 votes in
Dachau, a mixed agricultural and in-
dustrial district, since 1898. The prin-
cipal issue of the contest was the
tariff.

Kansas City Bakers Locked Out.

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—About 100
union bakers and bench hands em-
ployed by the six leading firms here
have been locked out because of an at-
tempt of the industrial council to form
a union of bread wagon drivers. Here-
after, the bakers say, they will employ
non-union men.

BATTLED WITH BURGLARS.

Two Crooks Are Dead and Two Offi-
cers Severely Wounded.

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 30.—Two notori-
ous burglars and cracksmen are dead,
Deputy Sheriff W. S. Manning is se-
verely wounded and Marshal Peter
Fitzgerald of Athens is probably fat-
ally wounded as the result of an at-
tempt to rob Mrs. Mary Priest, an aged
and wealthy widow of this city. The
plans of the robbers became known to
the Athens officers, who came here
and with the local authorities pre-
pared to frustrate them. The officers
laid in wait at the house and upon the
appearance of the robbers a battle en-
sued in which both were killed and the
officers named wounded.

Fatal Mine Explosion in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—An explo-
sion of dynamite at the Marsh colliery,
Thorburn, Pictou county, killed three
men and demolished the structure.
The dead are: J. W. Sutherland, resi-
dent manager; Walter Sutherland, un-
derground foreman, and John Wilkes,
overground foreman. The cause of
the explosion is not known. The
Marsh mine is the property of the
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal company.

Howard's Case Given to the Jury.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—The fate
of Jim Howard, the alleged Goebel as-
sassination principal, is now in the
hands of the jury. Commonwealth's
Attorney Franklin made the closing
speech of the case, speaking over four
hours, in which he dissected the evi-
dence in vigorous style. The closing
speech for the defense was made by
Attorney James Violett.

HOFFMAN WILL NOT TRUST YOU

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Too Much of a Good Thing

Last spring we were offered a great

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No. 6, St. Paul Express	12:40 p. m.	1:05 p. m.		No. 11, Morris, Bank Center & Brainerd	5:00 p. m.
No. 14, Duluth Express	3:55 a. m.	4:05 a. m.		Daily Except Sunday.	
No. 10, Duluth Express	1:00 p. m.	1:10 p. m.			
No. 24, Duluth Freight	9:10 a. m.	9:50 a. m.			
No. 18, Atkin Freight	8:55 p. m.	9:35 p. m.			
WEST BOUND.					
No. 5, Fargo Express	1:05 p. m.	1:20 p. m.			
No. 19, Pacific Express	11:55 p. m.	12:05 a. m.			
No. 11, Pacific Express	12:35 p. m.	12:45 p. m.			
No. 27, Staples Freight	4:20 p. m.	5:10 p. m.			
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TO REFORM FILIPINOS.

General Bell Says American Women
Are Worth More Than Soldiers.

Washington, Jan. 30.—One Ameri-
can woman can contribute more to the
reformation of the Filipinos than any
company of American men, soldier or
civilian, according to a personal letter
received by Major General H. C. Cor-
bia, adjutant general of the army,
from Brigadier General J. E. Bell, com-
manding the department of Northern
Luzon. General Bell says that he is
a strong believer in permitting the
wives of American officers on duty in
the Philippines to join their husbands,
declaring that the women exert a most
potent influence in our political pur-
poses with regard to the islands. Gen-
eral Bell says that in his old volunteer
regiment, the Thirty-sixth infantry,
there were 12 young women, wives of
officers. He encouraged them to go
with their husbands to the towns the
latter were commanding and the peo-
ple soon became so devoted to them
that when the time came to depart for
the United States the natives, irre-
spective of age or sex, wept like chil-
dren.

General Bell says that the American
women exert their influence through
the Filipino women, the latter having
more influence on public opinion than
the men of the islands.

BLAMES THE NEWSPAPERS.

State Department's Reason for Failure
to Release Miss Stone.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The state de-
partment is disposed to attribute the
failure of the negotiations looking to
the release of Miss Stone to the news-
papers. The recent arrangements for
her release have completely miscar-
ried, a body of Turkish troops, guided,
it is stated, by the finger of the press,
having appeared near the scene of the
place arranged for surrender and
caused the captors to seek cover.

London, Jan. 30.—The Sofia cor-
respondent of The Times says:

"It is reported that Miss Stone and
Mme. Tsilka were liberated during the
morning on Turkish territory."

St. Paul Church Destroyed by Fire.

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—The People's
church, corner of Pleasant avenue and
Chestnut street, was completely gutted
by fire. The interior, from the roof to
the basement, was entirely destroyed,
and, although the walls were left
standing, the directors believe they
will have to be pulled down. The loss
will probably amount to \$80,000. The
building and contents were insured for
\$50,000. The exact cause of the fire is
a mystery, and the only plausible solu-
tion that is offered is that it was
caused by some defect in the electrical
wiring of the building.

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E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1902.

Weather.

Snow tonight and tomorrow. Warmer.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

M. R. Emery left for Little Falls this afternoon.

Rev. C. E. Farrar returned this afternoon from Little Falls.

Lee Paine, who has been attending school in Minneapolis, returned home today.

The High School Glee club will give a dancing party this evening in Trades & Labor hall.

The Florence Crittenton Circle will meet Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. H. Lathrop, 213 Holly St. N.

Mrs. McCarvel and daughter, who have been visiting with Mrs. McGivern, returned this afternoon to their home in Deerwood.

Mr. Walker Whiteside and company left this afternoon for West Superior, where they present "Heart and Sword" this evening.

Hon. James Larson, of Walnut Grove, Redwood county, a member of the legislature, is in the city the guest of Hon. A. F. Ferris.

Mrs. S. P. Stevens left this afternoon for Minneapolis, having been called on account of the death of her father, Jerry Penbrooke, at the soldier's home.

The many friends of little Miss Bessie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, will be sorry to learn that she is very ill with pneumonia.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. A. H. Carver, Norwood street, next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5th at the usual hour.

The Good Samaritans will hold a rather important meeting this evening. Imperial Deputy Organizer J. W. Marvin is in the city and will install the new officers.

Ed Dessen and W. D. Murphy, who have been working in the N. P. shops, left today for Minneapolis. They expect to go south to look over the country with a view to locating.

Sheriff Hardy arrived in the city this morning from the north with Andrew Johnson, who lives near Pequot, who was adjudged insane and ordered committed to the asylum at Fergus Falls. He was taken there this afternoon.

The law firm of Polk & Polk removed today to their elegant and commodious new suite of office rooms over the Northern Pacific bank. This firm has built up a lucrative practice in the city and county, and they are now pleasantly and comfortably situated to handle the large volume of business.

A Delicious Supper.

A Shredded Wheat luncheon will be given Monday Evening, Feb. 3rd, at Walkers Hall, complimentary to the ladies of the Congregational church by the Natural Food Co., of Niagara Falls, N. Y. under the supervision of Miss Lucas their representative who is now in the city demonstrating. Follow will be the menu served:

Shredded Wheat Biscuit with Cream.
Cream Peas in Shredded Wheat Baskets.
Van Camp's Pork and Beans.
Broad and Butter. Cold Ham.
Escalloped Potatoes.
Pickles.
Shredded Wheat Pineapple Souffle.
Chocolate Cake. Nut Cake.
Coffee.
Shredded Wheat Biscuit Toast.
Cheese.
Supper 25 cents.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body; Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

For Sale.

Six tons red top and blue joint hay at \$6.00 per ton.

1,000 bales hay at 40c per bale.
JOHN J. MCCARTHY,
919 Main street.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Neighborhood Gossip.

A. Ferguson, traveling for A. Booth & Co., died at Devils Lake, N. D.

The Val Blatz brewing company is building a new warehouse at Moorhead.

Dr. Louis Nelson, of Lake Park, has removed to Fargo and opened dental parlors there.

The remains of Mrs. B. F. Mackall, who died in Moorhead, were taken to Georgetown, Maryland, for burial.

Miss M. Russell Pease, daughter of Editor Pease of Anoka, has been married to John F. Jackson, of Anoka.

There are now six cases pending against John Hass and his bartender, John Hölzer, at Fargo as a result of the recent little fracas.

The third annual convention of the North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Implement Dealers association is being held at Crookston.

The people of Gully and adjoining townships are moving in the matter of building a Catholic church and have already raised \$700 toward the fund.

Sheriff Schilpin, of St. Cloud, arrested at Fair Haven, Albert Robbins, who is charged with threatening to murder his wife and their child.

Baptist Turpin, the venerable patriarch of the Pembina band of Chippewas and one of the oldest settlers of the state, died at the age of 90 years.

The residence of J. A. Fingelseth, of Fertile, was destroyed by fire. A high wind was blowing and for a time the business portion of Fertile was threatened.

M. Randall, a brakeman on the Eastern Minnesota railroad, fell between cars at Glasston. The wheels crushed his right arm and he was otherwise injured.

James Kelly, of Clara City, has been arrested on a warrant sworn out by the Northwestern Elevator company, charging him with the embezzling of \$615.

The Odd Fellows at Crookston have let the contract for fitting up the first floor of their new hall for the use of the Crookston Library and Gymnasium Association.

The bridge over the Great Northern track at Ashby was considerably damaged in the elevator fire that occurred there Friday afternoon, and trains were delayed for some little time.

The council of Duluth appropriated \$150 to bear the expenses of a committee to go to St. Paul and work against the passage of the new tax bill, as far as the interests of that city and section are threatened.

Special Agent Thorpe, of the St. Cloud land office, has received orders from the department at Washington postponing the hearing on the swamp land cases, which was to have been held in Duluth in February.

A colony of fifty settlers from Clay county will take land between Coal Harbor and Turtle Lake, in McLean county, N. D. The members of the colony have plenty of funds and live stock and will be a valuable addition to the settlement over west.

Fire originated in the second story of Krook & Nelson's furniture store at Luverne, and consumed the entire building, made the stock an almost total loss and inflicted damage on the hardware stock of J. W. Gerber and the grocery stock of E. B. Burleigh.

C. H. Virnig, town clerk of Pierz, has written a letter to M. M. Williams, vice president of the Minnesota Midland Electric Railway company, stating that many people of Pierz and adjoining towns desire a public meeting at which the people could discuss with the railroad officials the possibility of securing the extension of the line eastward from Little Falls.—Transcript.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

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On the easiest terms ever offered. No use to pay rent. Investigate this.
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Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Read This.

Winter clothing and shoes are still being sold at Westfall's at the great cut 33 1/2 per cent discount.

KATRINE.

Sheriff Erickson was out summoning jurors.

Monday morning 26 degrees below zero, Tuesday 24.

Seven teams are hauling hardwood lumber to Deerwood.

Three loads of logs go to the bottom at the narrow Saturday.

R. J. Maghan was rushing through this section last week on county business.

Mrs. D. Archibald and Miss Ethel were visiting Mrs. Wheelen and Mrs. Fuller, Thursday.

Several were on the sick list at the camp for a day or two. They put up too rich food there.

Max Kneiff has bought 50 acres of land of Mr. Soule, and will build a dwelling in the spring.

The Pipe Tree Co.'s lands will be in the market in the spring. These lands have been held up 11 years.

D. Archibald was at Katrine and as near as we could find out there will be no surprise until next week.

G. A. Hunt says he will go to Brainerd and have the dog tax he paid rebated. That's the way we used to catch rabbits, we rebated the trap.

The latest victim to the dog tax is Mrs. Sarah Mack. If Mrs. Mack wants a dog, we saw three at Miller's store the other day. There are dogs enough at North Bay to give every body one.

The smallpox scare is over and now the people are discussing the dog tax. It looks as if every taxpayer was assessed a dog, several having paid the tax who never owned one. The dollar to us was all right as we have the dog. We have one boy at home, you could not keep a boy on the farm unless he has a dog. It would be safe to put down a dog for every boy. Commissioner Maghan has five boys, while Newgard has none. Things will get blue at North Bay if Newgard pays a dog tax. Several years ago Nick had a tame skunk but always drew the line on dogs.

ECHO.

LOVES THE GAME.

Why Rich Pierpont Morgan Continues to Work For Money.

A friend recently asked J. Pierpont Morgan why it was he devoted so much time to accumulating money when his income already was so large, concluding that it must be because he simply loved money, says a New York correspondent of the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

"No, no!" exclaimed Mr. Morgan. "I do not love money for its sake. I assure you; but, candidly, I do enjoy the excitement, the fun and the battle in making it. With my back interests I could not retire if I would. I have my work to fulfill and I must continue in business. It is a very true saying that 'Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown,' and there is no end to the responsibility and no rest for the leader, whether in affairs of state, at the head of an army or a financial house. It is only the excitement of the game, so to speak, that keeps one up, not the prospective gain, I assure you. Success or wealth, like the snowball, gathers unto itself. I long ago made the sum of money which in my boyhood days I dreamed that I would like to have, but I had created an enterprise that demanded my time and attention to develop, and I have never since been able to get away from the treadmill and now never expect to until senility or death claims me."

NEWS CONDENSATIONS.

Saturday, Jan. 25.

Governor Ormon has issued a call for a special session of the Colorado legislature.

The herd of buffalo in the Yellowstone National park is reported to be rapidly dying off.

Henry Schaub, who, in June last, murdered his wife and child, has been sentenced to death at Newark, N. J.

Captain John Alexander Armstrong, aged 74, one of the best known river men between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati is dead at Huntington, W. Va.

The members of the Minnesota delegation state that there will be a bill passed at this session of congress to create another judicial district in Minnesota.

The senate committee on public buildings and grounds has authorized a favorable report on Senator Platt's bill for a new postoffice at New York to cost \$2,500,000.

House Session Short.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The house adjourned after being in session 25 minutes. Mr. Hopkins (Ill.) reported the permanent census bureau bill and gave notice that he would call it up the following day. A request to make the pleomargarine bill a special order for next Monday was objected to on the Democratic side.

CHARTER GRANTED FOR NATIONAL

Bank at Cass Lake in Which Brainerd Capitalists are Largely Interested.

THE PRIVATE BANK IS MERGED.

The Application was Made A Few Days Ago and was Promptly Acted Upon.

A few days ago an application was made to the controller of currency at Washington for a charter for the establishment of a First National bank at Cass Lake, and yesterday President A. F. Ferris, of the First National bank in this city, received the information by telegraph that the application had been granted and the charter sent on by mail.

The private bank at Cass Lake, which has been operated by Messrs. A. F. Ferris and George D. LaBar, will be merged into the new First National and others in the city are interested in the new financial institution.

Those who applied for the charter are: A. F. Ferris, George D. LaBar, H. E. Reed, G. W. Holland and F. B. Johnson, all of this city except Mr. Reed, who is now employed in the bank at Cass Lake.

The new bank will be capitalized at \$25,000.

For Bargains.

Westfall's table is full of the choicest for men and children. Call and see.

Nettleton makes real estate loans and helps people to get homes.

Mahoney's BAKERY.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD
HOME MADE BREAD
VIENNA BREAD
GRAHAM BREAD
CREAM BREAD
RYE BREAD

YOU CAN BUY

Anything at our Store that is made at a first class, up-to-date BAKERY, as our Bakers are artists at their line and our goods are pure, clean, fresh and wholesome at all times.

Yours to Please
D. MAHONEY.

BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday Feb. 5.

LIEBLER & CO'S

Immense Production

OF

HALL CAINES' GREAT PLAY

"The Christian."

50 People 50

Including

W. S. Hart as John Storm
Lilla Vane as Glory Quayle

2 Carloads of Scenery 2

Prices—\$1.50 \$1 and 50c.

MONEY MAKES MONEY

THAT'S WHY
CALE & BANE'S
CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
is the busiest place in town these days. There you buy the BEST GOODS at the CHEAPEST PRICE.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT.

1 lb tall Can Salmon 10c
Fine Bulk Currants per lb 8c
Carolina Rice per lb 7c
6 Glass Tumblers 20c

MEAT DEPARTMENT.

Spare Ribbs per lb 3c
Pork Steak per lb 10c
Vienna Sausage per lb 10c
Liver Sausage per lb 8c
Pork Sausage per lb 8c

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

The cold spell makes Warm Clothes and Over Shoes a necessity. Our 25 and 50 per cent Discount Sale makes them cheap. It only lasts 'till Feb. 1st. Money Cheerfully Refunded if Goods are not Satisfactory.

Phone Call: 75-2.

Prompt delivery to all parts of the city.

CALE & BANE.

BRAINERD LUMBER COMPANY, BRAINERD, MINN.

Mills and Yards at Rice Lake, East Brainerd.

We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Lumber, Lath Shingles and Building Material. Short Lumber of all grades, and Low Grade of Dimension and boards at very low prices for Cash

FIVE SNAPS!

\$450.00 For lot 9 Block 49 Front Street, with two-story frame shop building thereon.
\$700.00 For No. 510 south 5th street, being lot 8 and 9, block 125 with 7 room frame dwelling, all in good condition. City water and brick cellar.
\$550.00 For No. 1020 south 6th street, being lots 2 and 3, block 271 with 6 room dwelling. With a little repair this property is worth \$1,000.
\$125.00 For lot 13, block 1, Fairview addition. Size 40x140, corner lot.
\$80.00 For lot 3, block 9 Sleeper addition. Size 50x150 feet.

The above prices are good for 10 days only and must be all cash.

J. R. SMITH,
SLEEPER BLOCK.

MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS



They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by JOHNSON'S PHARMACY

W. H. MANTOR OUT
T. C. BLEWITT IN
Judge Resigns as Municipal Judge
of the City of Brainerd
Effective Feb. 1.

BLEWITT WILL SUCCEED HIM.
Gov. Van Sant Accepts Resignation
of Judge Mantor and
Appoints His Successor.

It will be a surprise to many in the city to learn that Judge W. H. Mantor has resigned as judge of the municipal court of the city of Brainerd and the same has been accepted by Governor S. R. Van Sant. The resignation was sent to the executive head some days ago but was not acted upon until this afternoon.

The governor had no sooner accepted the resignation of Judge Mantor than he appointed Attorney T. C. Blewitt to succeed him, on a strong petition signed by a large number of the friends of the latter in the city.

Judge Mantor resigns his position as municipal judge at this time to enter into partnership with Judge S. F. Alderman in the law business.

The appointment of T. C. Blewitt as judge will be effective February 1, and at that time Messrs. Alderman and Mantor will form the partnership. Both gentlemen stand high in the profession and they will make a very strong team.

Mr. T. C. Blewitt is also well and favorably known both legally and otherwise, and THE DISPATCH joins with a large circle of friends in extending congratulations.

DEERWOOD.

Wm. Coffin is still confined to the house with the rheumatism.

The proprietor of the Sandy Lake boarding house objects to having his place mentioned in the papers.

George Elmer has moved over to the Berthwick place and will make his home there the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have moved into the McCarvill cottage and will very soon be at home to friends.

Mrs. Joseph Raymond, who is seriously sick, was removed to the hospital at Brainerd on Wednesday evening.

There was a good many out to the Epworth league on Sunday evening, and the young people are enjoying the services very much.

There is rumor that a crocodile and surprise party will meet in the very near future. I presume it will be made up of the select twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill expect to start in a few days for Los Angeles, California, where they will spend a couple of months. We wish them a safe journey and a pleasant time.

The school house question is still before the people of district No. 7, but the general opinion is that there will be an addition built on the old building and two teachers employed another year.

The dance which was to have been at Mr. Ream's was transferred to Wm. Elmore's house. The large crowd present report having a good time. Sheriff Erickson was present but did not take any part in the pleasures of the hour.

JACOB.

Very Appropriate.
"What did he get \$300 back pension for?"
"Oh, he was shot in the back!"—Smart Set.

The Bliss of It.
While I slave in the strife
To make gold for the Mrs.
The pet dog of my wife
Lives on cream puffs and Krs.
To lead a dog's life.
Faith, the acme of bliss.
—Philadelphia Press.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill prohibiting vivisection in the District of Columbia.

The son of Prince Ching has been nominated to represent China at the coronation of King Edward.

Lord Kitchener reports that since Jan. 13 21 Boers were killed, 12 wounded, 179 were made prisoners and 41 surrendered.

Tom Sharkey and Peter Maher may go to Louisville to fight the battle which resulted in a failure at Philadelphia on Friday night.

William F. Hoffmeister of St. Louis, formerly supreme recorder of the Legion of Honor, committed suicide at the Planters hotel in that city by shooting himself with a revolver.

FERRIS-NELSON.

Nuptials Celebrated Last Night at the
Home of the Bride, Rev. M. L.
Hutton Officiating.

Last night at 7:30 o'clock Mr. A. F. Ferris and Miss Helen B. Nelson were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride, Rev. M. L. Hutton, of the First Congregational church, officiating.

The wedding was strictly private, none but relatives of the contracting parties being present. The bride is well known in this city, where she has resided from childhood. She was for years connected with the dry goods emporium of Henry I. Cohen, as cashier. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Nelson, who live on Fir street.

The bridegroom is too well known in this city to require extended mention. He is president of the First National bank and one of the most influential men in the city. The DISPATCH extends congratulations.

RECEPTION TENDERED THEM.

A Large Number of Members of St. Paul's
Church Gather at the Rectory to
Extend Greeting.

A very pleasant reception was tendered to Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Farrar at the rectory of St. Paul's Episcopal church on Tuesday evening, when some seventy-five or one hundred guests called to extend a greeting to this worthy couple who are recent arrivals in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrar were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKay and the rooms of the beautiful rectory had been handsomely decorated for the event.

During the evening refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

Some of our clients have money to loan on improved farms.

LINDBERGH & BLANCHARD,
Little Falls, Minn.

For fire insurance see T. C. Blewitt

JUST THINK OF IT.

A man who has paid rent for twenty years, has paid for three or four good houses; probably better ones than he has ever occupied, yet he does not own a stone or the foundation or a shingle in a roof. Rent money gives use only. Purchase money gives use and ownership. Adopt business methods and buy a home and pay for it with the money you are now paying for rent.

I can sell you a place that will suit a man at a very reasonable price and small monthly payment which includes both principal and interest. Let me show you what I have.

P. B. NETTELTON,
PALACE HOTEL.

DR. H. C. WATSON DEAD.

The Remains Passed Through This City
Today Accompanied by The
Bereaved Wife.

On Tuesday night at Bemidji Dr. H. C. Watson, who is known to some extent in this city, passed away after a long tussle with that dreaded disease, consumption. He came to Bemidji about a year ago for the benefit of his health and was improving up to a short time ago when he was taken down again.

The remains arrived in the city this morning accompanied by Mrs. Watson and J. A. Robbel. They left for the east this afternoon and the burial will take place at Beaver Falls, Pa.

His Interest.

Farmer Wayback—Those pesky boys tied a tin tail to that dog's tail and ran him eleven miles. I'll sue 'em.
Mr. Cityman—Was it your dog?
Farmer Wayback—No; it was my tail.—Somerville Journal.

Poor Old Man!

He—Do you think your father would be willing to listen to my plea this evening?
She—Heavens, don't plead! Threaten. Pa's more used to it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Unintentionally Charitable.

"Lucia Lala is more charitable than I thought."
"So she consented to sing at your charity concert?"
"No, she refused."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

What He Forgets.

When a young lover figures on whether he can support a wife, he counts in everything except the rent, butcher and grocer, clothes and incidentals.—New York Press.

Nothing to Him.

Ida—The assertion that you were "good enough to eat" did not appeal to him?
May (sighs)—No; he is a dyspeptic.—Chicago Daily News.

Her Idea.

Sally Gay—What is your idea of a hero?
Dolly Swift—A man who doesn't need any mistletoe.—Puck.

CLERKS JUBILANT
OVER SUCCESS

The Early Closing Movement Goes
Through with a Sweep
this Morning.

EVERY MERCHANT FREELY SIGNS

Agreement to Close His Store at
6:30 O'clock Commencing
with February 1.

The members of the Retail Clerks' Protective Association are very jubilant this afternoon over their success in getting the merchants of the city to close their respective places of business at 6:30 o'clock evenings, commencing with February 1, and continuing for two months.

The association had quite a time to get all the merchants to sign this agreement and some hard work was done by the committee named by the association to go out and interview the business men and merchants. This morning Joe Early and Albert M. Johnson who are on this committee went out to get a few of those who had hung back and so unanimously had the other merchants responded that they too put their names down, so that every merchant in the city now has his name affixed to the agreement.

This agreement provides that the store closes at 6:30 p. m. o'clock every evening for two months except on pay days at the Northern Pacific shops, the Parker & Topping foundry and the Brainerd Lumber Co's mills and also Saturday nights.

The following merchants have signed the agreement: Slipp Bros., M. J. Reilly, Reilly & Smith, Henry I. Cohen, R. F. Walters, C. L. Burnett, William Murry, E. S. Houghton, A. G. Lagerquist, Graham Bros., A. L. Hoffman & Co., Mrs. Carrie Lagerquist, C. B. White, William H. Erb, Kauff Bros., F. H. Gruenbagen, Paine & McGinn, R. Parker, C. M.

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"The audience was large and representative of Austin's best society, and makes noticeable the fact that whenever the Ladies' Musical society provides an entertainment it is sure to be well attended and the program to possess special merit in whatever line of entertainment."

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New Tax Law.

The new proposed tax law with its extended power given to assessors, the supervision of the assessments, review, etc. are features against which no honest tax payer could protest.

But in the light of recent developments, as set forth in the report to congress by the interstate commerce commission, what hope is there that this law would dig very far into corporate interest? Would not the very object for which the law was undoubtedly framed be defeated?

It is so easy to ask questions, and there are champions every ready to give you the light "pro and con." But I have observed that most laws enacted for the restraining and controlling of corporations, become inoperative, or have no legal status, while those framed in the interest of corporations and against the people, stand as adamant. One thing sure, as Mr. Trommald says, "It will make it pretty warm for the assessor, and dangerous for the tax payer."

Yes, it will dig deep, and a few poor people will be added to the tax list, while the other fellows, will keep on doing business, at the old stand.

Extra official service would increase the expenses, and if this burden is to be added, would the new law be preferable to the present law? I don't know.

G. A. HUNT.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

THE CHRISTIAN.

Hall Came's great play, "The Christian," is beyond question the most talked of, popular and successful drama of the day. It comes to the Brainerd Opera House on Feb. 5, and presented by a splendid company under the management of Liebler & Co.

In making the dramatization of this play from his famous novel, Mr. Caine exercised the liberty of the dramatist only to the extent absolutely necessary, and while in some features the play differs from the book, such difference only tends to strengthen the situation and the effect, and does not detract from the value of the story.

One of the most affecting scenes is where John Storm enters the apartment of Glory Quayle at night with the purpose of making her pray and saving her soul through death. But the love of Glory triumphs. The play ends with a mutual understanding between them, they deciding to brave life's battles together.

Everybody should see "The Christian." It is at once the most powerful, absorbing and intensely dramatic play ever written, an example of moral lesson, and the most eloquent and masterly sermon ever preached.

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"Well, I don't know," said Mallory. "What's the work?"

"I want a young fellow to help decorate the armory for the junior ball."

The Big Store.

Clearance Sale.

Price-cutting has been terrific in this store, because we must close out all WINTER GOODS, and that at once, as our SPRING GOODS are commencing to arrive and we must have space.

Any Winter Wants that you may have now, can be filled here at your most economical heart's content. Prices are made regardless of COST, but how little shall we make it to make it sell.

The opportunity is open to you now to save an unusual amount of money in your purchases.

MRS. B. KAATZ & SON,

203-205 Kindred Street,

East Brainerd.

Brainerd Opera House last night on his return to the city after a very successful trip over Manager Walker's circuit. The "Merchant of Venice" was the production last night and Mr. Whiteside appeared as Shylock. This role was carried by him with entire satisfaction, the audience showing their appreciation of his interpretation of this great role by frequent and extended applause.

Miss Walston as Portia was especially good in this role and appeared to much better advantage than on the last engagement of the company when "Heart and Sword" was put on. The entire cast was good and Mr. Whiteside has never been surrounded by a better array of artists than at the present time.

A great many who saw the performance last night liked "Heart and Sword" much better, due perhaps to the fact that "Merchant of Venice" has so often been seen, but those who enjoy a thoroughly good presentation of a Shakespearian piece, last night's performance was up to the standard in every particular. The scenery and gowning were especially elaborate.

Offered Earl A Job.

The following little clipping from the Minneapolis Journal will be enjoyed by some of Earl Mallory's friends in this city:

Earl Mallory, president of the Junior Ball association, has learned how flimsy and vaporous is fame. For weeks he has been busy with arrangements for Friday's ball. The appointing of a foreman to superintend the work of decorating the armory fell to a fellow member of the committee who secured a man and bade him gather a crew of menials to assist.

Yesterday, Mallory (who's picture by the way has been in nearly all of the papers) was waiting for a car near the university when a workman came up and said:

"Say, young man would you like a job? You're just the man I want."

"What's there in it?" asked the boss committeeman.

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A Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining unsold for at the Brainerd, Minn., postoffice, for the week ending Jan. 31, 1907. When called for say "Advertised."

Anderson Chas	Graff M M
Aulina Dan A	Goodale Wm A
Born Tony	Howard Eric
Burgeman John	Klein Chas
Bass Mrs Bertha	Murphy Emma
Crack W W	Street
Denrell Chas	Symon A J
Davis Mrs Clara	Nelson A
Dummerit Herman R	Olsen Josie
Delton Jak	Peterson John
Doughly Mrs Bessie	Pierston Carrie
Dorr Mrs Marrie	Pound Mrs S H
Donahoe W	McCullin Ed
Dray Martin	Smith M J
Dowens Mrs Fred	Smith A F
Dowdell Libbie	Tucholski W
Eggen Shies	Thomas C E
Eggen Jennie	Wood Mrs J S
Eggleston Fred	Wadstrom Neis
Everson Mrs O	White L E
	P. M.

Unclaimed Packages.

Brainerd Post office, Jan. 31, 1907.
Dravland Fred (Day Pat)
Philip Thos (Robinson Mrs Lucia E)
Turonson Mrs Tanu.
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

If Banner Salve

doesn't cure your piles, your money will be refunded. It is the most healing medicine. H. P. Dunn & Co.—McFadden Drug Co.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR

We Got Them.

"Mamma," said a little three-year-old, blue-eyed, chubby faced boy the other day after a few moments' serious cogitation—"mamma, suppose you was a little boy and I was you."

Mamma (who has just declined giving the young gentleman any more jam and cakes)—Well?

"I'd let you have plenty of cakes, mamma, and I'd ask papa for money to buy fruit with—a dollar's worth."

"And if I was a little boy," said mamma, "I wouldn't frown and be naughty and kick the chairs when my mamma told me she couldn't give me more jam and cake than was good for me."

"Ah, but you can't be a little boy," said the youngster, who instinctively felt that this was a heavy dig in his infantile sides, "and you can't climb up to heaven to be made over again, can you, 'cause ladies can't climb?"

Mamma was silent, and more cakes were the result.

The Chronic Growler.

"Krankley should be happy now."

"Not at all. He's more unhappy than ever."

"Why, he's making barrels of money."

"Yes, and it keeps him so busy he doesn't get time to kick about anything."—Philadelphia Press.

The Cause.

Gilgal—Have you heard of the smash-up of the Universal bank?

Kilduff—Has it gone up?

Gilgal—Yes; gone to everlasting smash.

Kilduff—What is the typewriter's name?—Leslie's Weekly.

At the Street Car Office.

"Who are you that you come here and talk to us like that?" asked one of the officers of the corporation. "Are you a stockholder?"

"No, sir," he thundered. "I'm one of the strapholders!"—Indianapolis Sentinel.

The Effect.

Castleton—What's the matter with Clubberly's automobile? It seems a little wild.

Fittleton—He got caught in the country where there was no gasoline and had to use drugstore whisky.—Judge.

The Real Thing.



Author—Well, old man, how do you like my new play?

Critic—It's simply great. The robbery in the second act is the most realistic piece of work I ever saw on the stage.

Author (pleased)—You really think so?

Critic—Of course I do. Why, even the words spoken by the thieves are stolen!

NORTHERN PACIFIC BANK

WERNER HEMSTEAD, President
J. F. McGINNIS, Vice Pres.
H. D. TREGLE, WNY, Cashier.
J. A. BATCHELDER, Ast. Cashier.

Capital \$25,000. Surplus \$6,000.

General Bankin Business
Transacted.
Your Account Solicited.

HOLDEN'S BUFFET

Is the popular resort
when looking for.....
Choice Wines and Liquors
Fine Imported and

DOMESTIC CIGARS.

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WIRES ARE ALL DOWN

AN UNPRECEDENTED STORM OF
SNOW AND SLEET IN
THE SOUTH.

BUSINESS AT A STANDSTILL

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 30.—The
heaviest losses ever sustained in Little
Rock from a like cause is the result
of the terrible storm of sleet and cold
rain which has prevailed here for the
past three days. The business section
of the city is a scene of desolation
and business men on every hand are
mourning heavy losses that cannot be
recovered by insurance. The estimated
damage will exceed \$100,000, including
loss to business. In many instances
the loss has not yet attained its limit
and continued damage will occur
where the accumulated snow and
sleet is not removed from the roofs of
the buildings. In addition to the
damage by water in the stores the
main street suffered more than any
other part of the city.

Add to this, in some parts of the
city the telegraph and telephone poles
are all down, pulling trees and wires
with them and forming a congealed
mass of wreckage. Street cars were
irregular all day. The fall of sleet
amounted to about five inches. Little
Rock is practically shut off from the
world.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 30.—Lexington
was in darkness during the night and
almost every street is blocked with
fallen trees, telephone poles and
tangled wires. The sleet has continued
without cessation for the last 24 hours
and the snapping of trees and poles
was like cannonading.

The mayor ordered all electric cur-
rents, except those supplying several
street car lines, cut off for safety.
Telephone companies have suffered
seriously. Beautiful trees for which
the city is noted are falling by hun-
dreds. The sleet continues and in the
heaviness of the fall and disastrous
effects promises to eclipse any ever
experienced here.

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—A heavy snow
and sleet storm struck this city dur-
ing the morning and over four inches
of snow now covers the ground. Street
cars have much difficulty in running
and some of the trains from the West
are reported delayed. The storm is
general over the Ohio valley.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 30.—Kansas is
covered with a thick blanket of snow,
which has been falling for the past
two days and which is still falling.
At Larned it is nine inches deep on the
level and is falling yet.

BY RUNAWAY CARS.

Three People Killed and Two Fatally
Injured at Wilmerding, Pa.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—Three people
killed, two fatally hurt and a score of
others more or less injured, is the
record made by two runaway cars on
the Monongahela branch of the Pitts-
burg Railway company. The dead are
John McFadden, Mary Kinkaid and
Robert T. Rush.

The accident happened at the foot
of the long hill running into Wilmer-
ding from McKeesport. A car without
passengers got beyond control of the
motorman and dashed down the hill
one and a quarter miles long at a
terrific speed. At the bottom it jumped
into the Pennsylvania railroad station,
carrying away the side of the depot
and tearing up the platform.

Charles Bright, the motorman, was
so badly hurt that he cannot recover.
A large crowd gathered about the
wreck and 12 minutes later a second
runaway car came tearing down the
hill and ploughed into the crowd with
death dealing force.

The scene of the wreck when the
second car was hurled into the crowd
was beyond description. A blinding
sleet storm prevailed at the time and
it is said the two cars "skated" down
the hill with brakes tightly set.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTION.

Board of Trustees Meets at Washing-
ton and Organizes.

Washington, Jan. 30.—An adjourned
meeting of the trustees of the Carneg-
ie institution was held at the state
department during the afternoon and
a long step was taken towards per-
manent organization and the initiation
of the work of the institution. Abram
S. Hewitt of New York called the meet-
ing to order and Secretary Hay was
elected temporary chairman and
Charles D. Walcott temporary secre-
tary. William E. Dodge of New York
was elected to the board to fill a vac-
ancy caused by the declination of ex-
President Cleveland, who sent a letter
regretting his inability to serve. After
the roll call Mr. Andrew Carnegie
made a brief address presenting the
deed of gift.

After accepting the deed of gift the
trustees proceeded to adopt bylaws
and then elected the following officers:
Chairman of the board of trustees,
Abram S. Hewitt; vice chairman, Dr.
J. S. Billings; secretary, Charles D.
Walcott. Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, late
of Johns Hopkins university, was elect-
ed president of the Carnegie institu-
tion.

Last Veteran of the War of 1812.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The house
committee on pensions has reported
favorably a bill granting a pension of
\$25 per month to the last surviving
soldier of the War of 1812, Hiram Crok
of Oneida county, N. Y., aged 102
years.

WILL INVADE SOUTH AFRICA.

Commercial Germany Waiting for the
End of the Boer War.

London, Jan. 30.—Mr. Hales, the
correspondent of The Daily Express
in Berlin, predicts that should peace
eventuate in South Africa commercial
Germany will sweep down upon that
country and endeavor to divert its
trade to Germany. There is no doubt
says Mr. Hales, that the Germans will
leave no stone unturned to take the
fruits of the war from Great Britain.
Mr. Hales prophesies that the German
invasion of South Africa will eclipse
the rush of Germans to America 50
years ago and says that the openness
of the tariff in South Africa is ex-
pected to bring German merchants a sub-
stantial advantage, and that the latter
believe that Boer influence will con-
tinue so great that it will assure
preferential treatment to the Germans.

A VIENNA PIPE DREAM.

Said That Germany is Negotiating to
Buy the Philippines.

Vienna, Jan. 30.—The Neues Wiener
Tagblatt asserts that negotiations are
in progress for the sale of the Philip-
pine islands to Germany and that the
visit of Prince Henry to the United
States is preliminary to the announce-
ment of this sale.

Brothers Fight a Duel.

London, Jan. 30.—Special dispatches
received here from Vienna report that
in a duel fought at Cattaro, Dalmatia,
Austria-Hungary, between the heredi-
tary prince of Montenegro, Danilo
Alexander, and his brother, Prince
Mirko, on account of the latter having
ridiculed the wife of his brother, Prin-
cess Jutta, the Duchess of Mecklen-
burg, Prince Danilo was slightly
wounded, but has since gone with his
wife to visit the Italian court.

Gets a Colonial Governorship.

London, Jan. 30.—Vice Admiral Sir
Henry H. Rawson, who was command-
er of the channel squadron from 1898
to 1901, has been appointed governor
of New South Wales. This is the first
time in history that the government
has appointed an admiral to a colonial
governorship, which had long been a
sore point with the navy.

Was Temporarily Insane.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Jan. 30.—
James Carroll, a contractor of this
city, shot and killed his wife and then
killed himself. He left no word and
the only witnesses to the tragedy were
the little 5-year-old son and infant
daughter. It is thought that Carroll
was temporarily insane.

Job for Admiral Beresford.

London, Jan. 30.—The Tien Tsin
correspondent of The Standard says
that the emperor has ordered Admiral
Yeh to organize a naval college at Che
Foo and to engage Rear Admiral Lord
Charles Beresford to act as naval in-
structor at the college.

Are Placing Orders for Arms.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Chilean gov-
ernment has ordered 15,000 sword bay-
onets from Solingen, Prussia, and six
weeks ago the agent in Germany of
Argentina also placed some orders for
arms with German manufacturers.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The smallpox epidemic in London,
after falling to 29 cases daily last
week, increased suddenly this week
and reached the record of 71 cases
Wednesday.

Sister Mary Constance Bentivoglio,
mother superior of the Omaha Con-
vent of St. Clare and relative of Pope
Leo, died Wednesday at the monastery
of pneumonia.

John Tracy, a hostler, aged 28 years,
has been arrested at Buffalo, N. Y.,
charged with the murder of Jeweler
B. E. Brown, who was robbed and
killed a week ago last Sunday.

A suit has been brought by the
State of Minnesota against the West-
ern Union Telegraph company to en-
force the collection of \$47,497.95,
claimed to be due as personal prop-
erty taxes for 1899 and 1900.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Jan. 29.—Wheat—
Cash, 75½¢; May, 75½¢; July, 76½¢.
On Track—No. 1 hard, 77¢; No. 1
Northern, 75½¢; No. 2 Northern,
74½¢.

Sioux City Live Stock.
Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 29.—Cattle—
Beefers, \$4.00@5.85; cows, bulls and
mixed, \$1.50@4.65; stockers and feed-
ers, \$3.00@4.30; calves and yearlings,
\$2.75@4.00. Hogs—\$5.85@6.10.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Cash, No.
1 hard, 77½¢; No. 1 Northern, 74½¢;
No. 2 Northern, 72½¢; No. 3 spring,
70½¢. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 77½¢;
No. 1 Northern, 74½¢; May, 77½¢;
July, 77½¢. Flax—Cash, \$1.69.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Fancy
butcher steers, \$5.50@6.10; fancy
butcher cows and heifers, \$4.25@4.75;
good to choice veals, \$4.50@5.25;
good to choice feeders, \$3.40@4.00.
Hogs—\$5.70@6.10. Sheep—Good to
choice, \$4.25@4.60; lambs, \$5.00@5.50.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$6.50@7.40; poor to me-
dium, \$4.00@6.00; stockers and feed-
ers, \$2.25@4.50; cows and heifers,
\$1.25@3.50; Texas steers, \$4.00@5.25.
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.80@
6.30; good to choice heavy, \$6.15@
6.40; rough heavy, \$5.90@6.10; light,
\$5.60@5.90; bulk of sales, \$5.50@6.20.
Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.30@5.00;
lambs, \$3.00@6.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Jan.,
75½¢; May, 78½¢@79¢; July, 78½¢.
Corn—Jan., 59½¢; May, 62½¢; July,
62½¢@63½¢; Sept., 61½¢. Oats—Jan.,
43½¢; May, 44½¢; July, 38½¢; Sept.,
32½¢. Pork—Jan., \$13.70; May,
\$15.95; July, \$16.05. Lard—Cash
Northwestern, \$1.72; May, \$1.73. But-
ter—Creameries, 15¢@21¢; dairies,
14¢@20¢. Eggs—24¢. Poultry—Tur-
keys, 9¢@12¢; chickens, 7¢@9¢.

SUMMONS IN A MINCE PIE.

Dr. Quackenbos Subpoenaed Asst by
Medium of Her Favorite Pastry.

Dr. John D. Quackenbos, professor
emeritus of psychology in Columbia
university, is defendant in an action
brought by his sister, Mrs. Theodore H.
Shear, and his aunt, Miss Jane A. Dun-
can, who have applied to the surrogate
for his removal from the trusteeship of
a fund left by his mother. At her
death in 1889 she left \$8,000 to be shared
equally by Professor Quackenbos,
Mrs. Shear and Miss Duncan.

Besides involving the family in a bit-
ter dispute, the case has developed a
comic side, says the New York Herald.
A mince pie and a woman in the guise
of a Christmas messenger were em-
ployed to serve the aunt with process.
Mr. Shear, who is a lawyer and repre-
sents his wife and her aunt in the liti-
gation, said the other night that the
case is now being heard by Charles
Maas as referee. Mr. Shear said the
elder Mrs. Quackenbos died in 1889,
leaving the money in her son's hands
as trustee. He invested the money,
the lawyer said, and for a long time
paid interest to Mrs. Shear and Miss
Duncan. They had received no inter-
est 18 months up to a few
weeks ago, when application was made
to the surrogate for an accounting and
also for the professor's removal as ex-
ecutor.

In the course of the hearings before
the referee counsel for Professor
Quackenbos, desired to call Miss Dun-
can as a witness, but she evaded serv-
ice of summons until Christmas morn-
ing. Mr. Shear said the old lady every
year receives at Christmas a pie from
an old friend. When the basement
bell rang that morning and a young
woman, bearing a steaming mince pie,
asked for Miss Duncan, she was admit-
ted without suspicion. Miss Duncan
met her in the parlor, and the messen-
ger placed the pie in her hands. Across
the upper crust lay a summons direct-
ing her to appear before the surrogate
as a witness.

The ruse succeeded only partly. Mr.
Shear said the subpoena was only a
copy of the original order. As soon as
he discovered this fact he explained to
the surrogate that the service was in-
valid, and for that reason Miss Dun-
can has not appeared as a witness in
the case. The lawyer said the pie ap-
peared to be an excellent one, but it
formed no part of the Christmas din-
ner.

Professor Quackenbos declined to be
seen at his home in New York.

TO RENEW MODUS VIVENDI.

Newfoundland Will Wait Until the
Boer War is Disposed Of.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 30.—The colo-
nial government has undertaken to re-
new for the present year the French
shore modus vivendi, which expired
on Dec. 31 last.

Mr. Chamberlain, the British colo-
nial secretary, wired the colonial gov-
ernment a request for this action last
Saturday, urging his desire to dispose
of the Boer war before reviving nego-
tiations with France respecting the
Newfoundland shore. The colonial
cabinet, in acquiescing to Mr. Cham-
berlain's request, recited the fact that
it was done as the colony's contribu-
tion towards the solution of the im-
perial problems in South Africa. New-
foundland, being unable to send men
there, takes this means of testifying
her co-operation in the imperial policy
and is confident that the redress of
her grievances will be next under-
taken.

It is generally understood that this
is the last time this measure will be
renewed and that it is only done now
for the foregoing reason.

MINERS ADJOURN.

Convention Decides to Meet at Indian-
apolis Next Year.

Indianapolis, Jan. 30.—The 13th an-
nual convention of the United Mine
Workers of America has adjourned
sine die after selecting Indianapolis
as the place for holding the conven-
tion next year.

The delegates to the joint confer-
ence to be held with the operators of
the country are instructed to vote for
Indianapolis for the joint conference
next year. The convention before ad-
journment voted \$1,000 for the aid of
the widows and orphans of the miners
killed in the Iowa disaster, adopted a
resolution against "government by
injunction," and adopted a
resolution favoring the re-enactment
of the Chinese exclusion act.

The resolutions adopted by the con-
vention against "government by in-
junction" ordered that May 17 be set
aside for holding meetings and agit-
ing against the encroaching power of
the federal judiciary.

The resolution urged that the Amer-
ican Federation of Labor be asked to
do the same.

FORETOLD HER OWN DEATH.

Peculiar Circumstances Attend the
Demise of a Kenosha (Wis.) Girl.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 30.—Miss Anna
Ziesemer died suddenly under peculiar
circumstances in this city. She was
apparently in perfect health when she
started to work. She laughed and
chatted with her companions.

During the walk she turned to a
Miss Mary Link and said: "I am go-
ing to die in the afternoon."

The girl reached the factory and
started toward the work room, when
she fell in a faint. She was taken to
her home in a carriage and died short-
ly before 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Bob Kneesh, the horseman who be-
came famous a few years ago through
his imprisonment in Germany for rac-
ing an alleged "ringer," is dead at
Sioux City. He was 65 years old.

Among the passengers who sailed
for England on the Kaiser Wilhelm der
Grosse was Charles T. Yerkes, who is
returning to London to carry out his
contract for the underground electric
roads.

ENVOY OF THE KAISER.

Career of Prince Henry, Soon to
Visit the United States.

MOST POPULAR HOHENZOLLERN.

German Emperor's Personal Repre-
sentative at the Launching of His
New Yacht is a Linguist and Musi-
cian, a Student of Men and an
Adept at Statecraft.

Prince Heinrich, or "Heinrich the
Navigator," as loyal Germans love to
style him, who will soon visit the United
States as the personal representa-
tive of Emperor William at the launch-
ing of the kaiser's new yacht, has been
from his youth the most popular of
Hohenzollern princes. He is the sec-
ond son of the late Emperor Freder-
ick, the only brother of the present
kaiser, and was born on Aug. 14, 1862.
Henry is the sailor prince of the im-
perial family, and, like most sailor
princes, he has always held a high
place in the affections of his people.
There are loyal Germans today who
regard Henry as the most talented
member of the Hohenzollern family.
With his father, whom Germany idol-
ized as "Unser Fritz," Henry was al-
ways a favorite son, and during the
long, painful illness of the emperor
Prince Henry was untiring in his filial
devotion. He personally is unlike his
brother, the emperor, in many ways.
In appearance he is not quite so tall,
but he has the strong, well knit figure
of a young man in perfect health, says
the New York Herald.

Members of the American reception
committee whose German may not be
so fluent as they could wish will find
that the sailor prince can meet them
on even terms with as polished Eng-
lish as their own. His English moth-
er is largely responsible for that. But
he is a linguist of no mean attain-
ments, and in cruising about the earth
he has picked up the vocabularies of
many strange tongues in addition to
those that usually form a part of the
educational equipment of a well in-
structed European prince.

Prince Henry is a born seaman. He
is never more happy than when on the
quarter deck of his flagship. But he
is also a keen student of men and af-
fairs and has loved to indulge in such
inland journeys in strange and distant
countries as his sailor duties would
permit. Less than forty years old, he
is an admiral of the German navy, and
sailor folk say that he has fairly won
his naval rank wholly apart from his
princely origin.

In questions of state his views are
consulted, and they are usually consid-
ered sound even by his somewhat im-
pulsive imperial brother. Prince Henry
plays the violin fairly well and is the
composer of the really fine "Preusen-
marsch," which is deservedly popu-
lar throughout Germany.

In May, 1888, Henry took to Berlin
as his wife the Princess Irene, third
daughter of the Grand Duke Louis of
Hesse and of his consort, the Princess
Alice of England. She is four years
younger than her husband. Both are
grandchildren of Victoria.

Prince Bismarck had opposed the
match on the ground that the high con-
tracting persons were first cousins.
Prince Henry declared that unless he
could wed Irene he would remain a
bachelor for life, and the threat had
the effect of bringing his elders to
terms speedily.

In the spring of 1884 he was in Lon-
don, where his royal grandmother,
Queen Victoria, always gave him a
warm welcome, and the sailor prince
was always popular among a nation of
sailors. But neither of these facts pre-
vented a dastardly attempt upon his
life. While he stood in one of the up-
per rooms of the Paddington railroad
station a dynamite bomb was exploded
in a cloakroom of the Victoria station
and wrecked that building. Dynamite
was also found similarly placed in the
Paddington station directly beneath
the apartment in which the Prussian
prince stood. The plot failed, but Hen-
ry's escape from death or serious in-
jury was considered marvelous.

Prince Henry became an internation-
al figure when in the winter of 1897
Emperor William announced that his
brother, now an admiral, would be sent
in command of a squadron to look
more carefully after the interests of
Germany in Chinese waters. Arriving
at Kiaochow in the spring of 1898,
Prince Henry went thence to Peking,
where a brilliant official reception
awaited him, and the Chinese govern-
ment made every possible effort to ap-
pease the dreaded wrath of Germany's
"war lord." Henry enjoyed the rare
distinction of being the only foreign
prince ever honored with a personal
audience by the emperor and the em-
press dowager of China.

Prince Henry has often been a con-
spicuous figure at the launching of
German and other vessels. In 1899,
before he left China, he attended as a
guest the launching of a trading ves-
sel. A plank fell from the rafters of
a shed under which the royal German
guest was standing, inflicting upon the
prince's scalp an ugly flesh wound.

In a cave in at Joplin, Mo., four
miners lost their lives and a number
of others were seriously injured.

Six thousand troops from various
regiments in India are about to start
from Calcutta for South Africa.

A cyclone has swept over the Canary
islands, doing much damage to prop-
erty and causing much shipwreck.

Vienna papers publish statements to
the effect that King Alexander of Ser-
bia is endeavoring to obtain a divorce
from Queen Draga.

President Roosevelt has decided to
decline all invitations to deliver public
speeches until congress has completed
its work for the session.

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cent.

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house 95 cords. City jail 10 cords.
Electric light station 20 cords.

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REDUCE WAR REVENUE

REPUBLICANS OF WAYS AND
MEANS COMMITTEE SO
DECIDE.

CUBANS WILL HAVE TO WAIT

As the Island Was the Cause of an In-
creased Revenue Levy the Burden
Should Be Removed From This
Country Before Any Concessions
Are Made—Reductions Will Aggre-
gate \$68,000,000.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Repub-
lican members of the ways and means
committee held a private conference
and decided to frame a bill for the re-
duction of war revenue taxes before
proceeding further with the subject of
Cuban reciprocity. Chairman Payne
at once called a meeting of the full
committee for 11 a. m., when work on
the war revenue reduction will begin.
No draft of a bill has been prepared
by the Republican members, but it is
pretty fully understood that the major-
ity is prepared to favor a measure
effecting very large reductions, amount-
ing practically to a repeal of the en-
tire war taxes, and aggregating about
\$68,000,000. The restrictions of recent
hearings to tea and beer led to the
belief that reductions might be confined
to these two articles, but the senti-
ment of the majority now appears to
be favorable to a much larger reduc-
tion. At the conference it was the
prevailing view that as Cuba had been
the cause for incurring the war re-
venue taxes the burden should be re-
moved from this country before con-
sidering the extent of relief to be
granted to Cuba. The question of
what percentage of reduction in tariff
rates could be made for Cuba was not
considered at the meeting owing to
the determination to leave this until
after the war revenue reductions had
been accomplished.

PERMANENT CENSUS BUREAU.

Provisions of the Bill Reported to the
House of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The bill for a
permanent census bureau, which has
been reported by the house committee
on census, provides that the present
bureau organization shall continue
until July 1, 1902, when it shall be
superseded by the permanent bureau,
the personnel of which shall consist
of a director at \$5,000 and 22 clerks at
various salaries. All persons in the
bureau at the date of the passage of
the act are placed under the civil ser-
vice rules.
The bill provides that after com-
pletion of the regular work of the census
the director shall collect statistics re-
lating to special classes, namely, in-
sane, criminals, public indebtedness,
electric light and power, transporta-
tion by water, express business, mines,
etc. To procure such statistics the bill
authorizes the director to appoint spe-
cial agents at \$6 per diem. The bill
also authorizes the director of the
census in 1903 to collect manufactur-
ing statistics and such other statistics
relating to agriculture, mining, etc.,
as may be required of him by congress.

PRESS CENSORSHIP AT MANILA.

Senate Has a Very Spirited Debate on
the Question.

Washington, Jan. 30.—For an hour
the senate had under discussion the
question whether a censorship of news-

dispatches exists in Manila. "While no
turbulent scenes were enacted the de-
bate for a time was very spirited. The
secretary of war was quoted as say-
ing that no press censorship now ex-
isted in the Philippines and a letter
from General Greeley, chief signal offi-
cer of the army, was presented by Mr.
Beveridge of Indiana, making the
statement officially that there was no
censorship of press dispatches and
that "the press is entirely free."

It was contended by the opposition
that a press censorship did exist in the
Philippines and that copies of every
news dispatch filed with the cable
company was filed with the military
authorities. That, it was maintained,
constituted a virtual censorship.

Mr. Cullom, chairman of the com-
mittee on foreign relations, delivered
an extended and carefully prepared
speech on the history of the reciprocity
negotiations.

ANTI-OLEOMARGARINE BILL.

Majority and Minority Reports Are
Filed in the House.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The majority
and minority reports on the anti-oleo-
margarine bill have been filed in the
house. The majority report is con-
curred in by all the members of the
agricultural committee except Messrs.
Wadsworth (N. Y.), Connell (Pa.),
Scott (Kan.), Williams (Miss.) and
Allen (Ky.).

It summarizes the extent of the in-
jury claimed to be done to the butter
and dairy interests by the sale of man-
ufactured products colored to imitate
the genuine article. The minority
urges a substitute which they say is
designed not to prevent the manufac-
ture or sale of oleomargarine, but to
prevent it from being fraudulently sold
for butter.

HONORED M'KINLEY.

Dead Statesman's Birthday Fittingly
Observed.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—Cantonians
paid loving tribute to the late Presi-
dent McKinley in a memorial meeting
at the Tabernacle, which was partici-
pated in by people in all walks of life
to the number that overtaxed the big
enclosure where many of the same peo-
ple had so often listened to the words
of their old friend and neighbor.

The chief orator of the meeting was
Hon. William Dudley Foulke of In-
diana, the warm personal friend of the
late president. A short address was
also delivered by Hon. George H.
Laughlin, W. Va., who as a Canton
manufacturer became the close friend
of Mr. McKinley. Dr. Josiah Hartzell
of Canton, a lifelong friend, spoke on
"The Home Ties of President McKin-
ley."

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—McKinley
Memorial day was observed in the
Lincoln public schools, where pupils
made contributions to the Canton
monument fund, and by exercises at
night under direction of the Grand
Army post, at which the president's
favorite hymns were sung and eulogies
on his life and character pronounced.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 30.—Special
exercises in honor of William McKinley
were held in the schools and col-
leges throughout Utah. A feature was
the receiving of contributions for the
McKinley monument fund. No child
was allowed to contribute more than
5 cents.

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—Memorial
services in memory of the late Presi-
dent McKinley were held here by the
Farragut and McPherson corps of the
W. R. C. Major William Warner de-
livered the principal address. Similar
services were held by several Jewish
societies.

Denver, Jan. 30.—The legislature
adopted resolutions containing a spe-
cial tribute to the great services and
pure life of President McKinley, de-
ploring the manner of his death and
appealing to all legislative bodies to
stamp out anarchy.

CUT THE GRAIN RATES

RAILWAY OFFICIALS BEFORE THE
INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION.

CLAIM IT IS NECESSARY

The Practice Is the Natural Result of
Competitive Conditions—If Any Ar-
rangements Could Be Made That
Would Result in Bona Fide Observ-
ance of Published Tariffs Changes
in Rates Would Be Made.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Some impor-
tant admissions of rate cutting were
made at a hearing given by the inter-
state commerce commission in contin-
uance of the investigation begun at
Kansas City on Jan. 9. Vice Presi-
dents Paul Morton of the Atchafalpa and
J. M. Johnson of the Rock Island, and
J. M. Monroe, traffic manager of the
Union Pacific, testified. All the wit-
nesses admitted that the published
tariff rates on grain moving in and out
of Kansas City had not been observed.
They explained the methods by which
the lower rates actually were accorded
and contended that these concessions
were necessary. They conceded that
there were favored shippers on most
of the transcontinental lines, but
claimed the practice was the natural
result of the competitive conditions
of transcontinental traffic. The most
serious cutting of rates, they said, pre-
vails between Kansas City and Chi-
cago. The witnesses admitted that at
a time when the published rate from
Kansas City to Chicago was 12 cents
per 100 pounds there was practically
no grain moved at a rate above 7
cents, and more or less of this traffic
was carried at the rate of 6 cents.

Without admitting that the observ-
ance of the published tariff by all the
lines and in all cases would operate to
the undue prejudice of Kansas City,
Messrs. Morton and Johnson, on the
part of their roads, the only two that
run both east and west from Kansas
City, stated that if any arrangements
could be made, or any plan be devised
which would result in actual bona fide
observance of the published tariffs,
some changes in the rates would be
very freely made.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY'S APPEAL.

Text of the Document Made Public by
the Navy Department.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The appeal
of Admiral Schley, which was deliv-
ered to the president about a week
ago, has been made public by the navy
department. The appeal asks for a
review of the findings of the court of
inquiry and is made on three grounds,
each of which is based on the findings
of Admiral Dewey, as opposed to the
majority report.

The first ground of appeal is that
Secretary Long is in error in stating
that the court excluded testimony to
show who was senior officer at the
battle of Santiago and entitled to the
credit due for the victory. The peti-
tioner asks that Secretary Long's en-
dorsement on the point be annulled
and Admiral Dewey's statement ap-
proved.

The second ground of appeal relates
to the efficiency of the blockade of
Santiago, on which the majority of the
court failed to express an opinion. The
petitioner is asked to substitute Ad-
miral Dewey's holding that "the block-
ade of Santiago was effective."

The third ground concerns the pas-
sage of the flying squadron from Key
West to Cienfuegos and thence to San-
tiago. The president is asked to set
aside and annul the opinion of the ma-
jority of the court wherein it disre-
gards Admiral Dewey's opinion that the
passage was made from Key West to
Cienfuegos with all possible dispatch,
having in view the importance of ar-
riving off Cienfuegos with sufficient
coal; that the blockade of Cienfuegos
was effective, and, finally, that the pas-
sage from Cienfuegos to a point off
Santiago was made with as much dis-
patch as possible, while keeping the
squadron a unit. The petitioner con-
cludes:

"And your petitioner most respect-
fully states that only by the action for
which he prays in this resolution can
exact justice be done him within the
contemplation of the precept under
which the said court sat and whence it
derived its authority."

NATIONAL BANK CIRCULATION.

Is Being Retired at the Rate of Three
Million Dollars a Month.

Washington, Jan. 30.—During the
months of November, December and
January, national bank circulation has
been retired by the deposit of lawful
money with the treasurer of the United
States to the amount of \$3,000,000
per month, the maximum amount
which the law permits to be retired
during any calendar month.

Applications have been received by
the comptroller of the currency for
the retirement of a like amount dur-
ing the month of February.

Charges Against Metcalf Unfounded.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The senate
committee on pensions has agreed
unanimously to report favorably the
nomination of General Wilder S. Met-
calf as pension agent at Topeka, Kan.
This decision was based on the find-
ing of the sub-committee that he was
not guilty of the charges against him.

LITTLE DAMAGE DONE.

Colombian and Revolutionary Fleets
Have an Engagement.

Panama, Colombia, Jan. 30.—The
Colombian government fleet, consist-
ing of the steamers Boyaca and Chu-
cuito and the armed launch General
Campo, which left here to make an at-
tempt to break the blockade of Agua
Dulce, where the revolutionary fleet
was last seen, and to communicate
with General Castro, the Colombian
commander, met the insurgent steamer
Padilla at Yeguala, 30 miles from Pan-
ama, and opened fire on her. The re-
volutionary steamers Darien and Gaitan
appeared on the scene soon after the en-
gagement began. The fire of the Chu-
cuito was so well directed that it
caused the revolutionary fleet to draw
in towards the shore, where the en-
emy's ships were protected by land
batteries. The Chucuito and Boyaca
then retired unmolested and arrived
here at 5 p. m. The General Campo
was not engaged.

The forces of General Herrera, the
revolutionary commander, are at San
Carlos, 40 miles from Panama.

DENIED BY DR. LEYDS.

Boers Have Not Asked the Mediation
of Holland.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The Patrie publishes
an interview with Dr. Leyds, who de-
nies that the representatives of the
South African republics in Europe
asked for the mediation of Holland in
South African affairs, or authorized
Dr. Kuyper, the Dutch premier, to
make propositions for peace.

"There can be no conditions for the
British government to examine," says
Dr. Leyds. "There is only one con-
dition; the British government knows it
sufficiently well and need not examine
it further. From the intentional am-
biguity of Mr. Balfour's statement in
the house of commons it is evident
that this is mere maneuver."

HAS A BUSY DAY.

Admiral Schley Follows the Louisville
Programme of Entertainment.

Louisville, Jan. 30.—Admiral Schley
moved through the heaviest sleet
storm that Louisville has seen in many
years while following the programme
of entertainment prepared for him by
the board of trade. In spite of the bad
weather more than 2,000 persons visit-
ed the board of trade during the morn-
ing and shook the admiral's tired but
still ready and willing right hand.
Lunch at the Pendergast club followed,
and later the admiral was the guest
of honor at the annual banquet of the
board of trade at the Galt House.

More Riches in the Yukon.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 30.—M. J. Hep-
burn of this city has left for London
to enlist capital in the conglomerates
on Indian river, 28 miles from Dawson.
Miners who have worked in the
South African gold fields have dis-
covered, he says, that encampments of
the Indian river valley are composed
of immense masses of conglomerates,
identical in composition with those
which have yielded so many millions
of treasure in South Africa.

Socialists Gain a Seat.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Socialists have
gained the seat in the reichstag for
Doebein, Saxony, by electing Herr
Grunberg, a manufacturer, by a ma-
jority of 322 votes over the National
Liberal and Conservative candidates.
The Socialists gained 2,000 votes in
Doebein, a mixed agricultural and in-
dustrial district, since 1898. The prin-
cipal issue of the contest was the
tariff.

Kansas City Bakers Locked Out.

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—About 100
union bakers and bench hands em-
ployed by the six leading firms here
have been locked out because of an at-
tempt of the industrial council to form
a union of bread wagon drivers. Here-
after, the bakers say, they will employ
non-union men.

BATTLED WITH BURGLARS.

Two Crooks Are Dead and Two Offi-
cers Severely Wounded.

Gallipoli, O., Jan. 30.—Two notori-
ous burglars and cracksmen are dead.
Deputy Sheriff W. S. Manning is se-
verely wounded and Marshal Peter
Fintenzwald of Athens is probably
fatally wounded as the result of an at-
tempt to rob Mrs. Mary Priest, an aged
and wealthy widow of this city. The
plans of the robbers became known to
the Athens officers, who came here
and with the local authorities pre-
pared to frustrate them. The officers
laid in wait at the house and upon the
appearance of the robbers a battle en-
sued in which both were killed and the
officers named wounded.

Fatal Mine Explosion in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—An ex-
plosion of dynamite at the Marsh colliery,
Thorburn, Pictou county, killed three
men and demolished the structure.
The dead are: J. W. Sutherland, resi-
dent manager; Walter Sutherland, un-
derground foreman, and John Wilkes,
overground foreman. The cause of
the explosion is not known. The
Marsh mine is the property of the
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal company.

Howard's Case Given to the Jury.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—The fate
of Jim Howard, the alleged Goebel as-
sassin principal, is now in the hands
of the jury. Commonwealth's At-
torney Franklin made the closing
speech of the case, speaking over four
hours, in which he dissected the evi-
dence in vigorous style. The closing
speech for the defense was made by
Attorney James Violet.

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Last spring we were offered a great
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No. 6, St. Paul Express	12:45 p. m.	1:00 p. m.		No. 5, Fargo Express	1:05 p. m.
No. 14, Duluth Express	3:35 a. m.	4:00 a. m.		No. 15, Pacific Express	11:35 p. m.
No. 16, Duluth Express	1:00 p. m.	1:10 p. m.		No. 11, Pacific Express	12:15 p. m.
No. 54, Duluth Freight	9:10 a. m.	9:50 a. m.		No. 27, Staples Freight	4:20 p. m.
No. 78, Atlin Freight	8:55 p. m.	9:35 p. m.			
Ticket Office at Ticket Office for 24, 27 and 28.		Ticket Office at Ticket Office for 24, 27 and 28.		L. & D. BRANCH	
No. 12, Little Falls Express		11:35 p. m.		Center & Morris	
No. 11, Morris, Bank Car		12:45 p. m.		Center & Morris	
No. 11, Morris, Bank Car		5:00 p. m.		Daily Except Sunday.	

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TO REFORM FILIPINOS.

General Bell Says American Women
Are Worth More Than Soldiers.

Washington, Jan. 30.—One Ameri-
can woman can contribute more to the
reformation of the Filipinos than any
company of American men, soldier or
civilian, according to a personal letter
received by Major General H. C. Cor-
bin, adjutant general of the army,
from Brigadier General J. F. Bell, com-
manding the department of Northern
 Luzon. General Bell says that he is
a strong believer in permitting the
wives of American officers on duty in
the Philippines to join their husbands
declaring that the women exert a most
potent influence in our political pur-
poses with regard to the islands. Gen-
eral Bell says that in his old volunteer
regiment, the Thirty-sixth Infantry,
there were 12 young women, wives of
officers. He encouraged them to go
with their husbands to the towns the
latter were commanding and the peo-
ple soon became so devoted to them
that when the time came to depart for
the United States the natives, irre-
spective of age or sex, wept like chil-
dren.

General Bell says that the American
women exert their influence through
the Filipino women, the latter having
more influence on public opinion than
the men of the islands.

BLAMES THE NEWSPAPERS.

State Department's Reason for Failure
to Release Miss Stone.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The state de-
partment is disposed to attribute the
failure of the negotiations looking to
the release of Miss Stone to the news-
papers. The recent arrangements for
her release have completely miscar-
ried, a body of Turkish troops, guided,
it is stated, by the finger of the press,
having appeared near the scene of the
place arranged for surrender and
caused the captors to seek cover.

London, Jan. 30.—The Sofia corre-
spondent of The Times says:

"It is reported that Miss Stone and
Mme. Talika were liberated during the
morning on Turkish territory."

St. Paul Church Destroyed by Fire.

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—The People's
church, corner of Pleasant avenue and
Chestnut street, was completely gutted
by fire. The interior, from the roof to
the basement, was entirely destroyed,
and, although the walls were left
standing, the directors believe they
will have to be pulled down. The loss
will probably amount to \$80,000. The
building and contents were insured for
\$50,000. The exact cause of the fire is
a mystery, and the only plausible solu-
tion that is offered is that it was
caused by some defect in the electrical
wiring of the building.

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1902.

Weather.

Snow tonight and tomorrow. Warmer.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

M. R. Emery left for Little Falls this afternoon.

Rev. C. E. Farrar returned this afternoon from Little Falls.

Lee Paine, who has been attending school in Minneapolis, returned home today.

The High School Glee club will give a dancing party this evening in Trades & Labor hall.

The Florence Crittenton Circle will meet Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. H. Lathrop, 213 Holly St. N.

Mrs. McCarvel and daughter, who have been visiting with Mrs. McGovern, returned this afternoon to their home in Deerwood.

Mr. Walker Whiteside and company left this afternoon for West Superior, where they present "Heart and Sword" this evening.

Hon. James Larson, of Walnut Grove, Redwood county, a member of the legislature, is in the city the guest of Hon. A. F. Ferris.

Mrs. S. P. Stevens left this afternoon for Minneapolis, having been called on account of the death of her father, Jerry Penbrooke, at the soldier's home.

The many friends of little Miss Bessie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, will be sorry to learn that she is very ill with pneumonia.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. A. H. Carver, Norwood street, next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5th at the usual hour.

The Good Samaritans will hold a rather important meeting this evening. Imperial Deputy Organizer J. W. Marvin is in the city and will install the new officers.

Ed Dessen and W. D. Murphy, who have been working in the N. P. shops, left today for Minneapolis. They expect to go south to look over the country with a view to locating.

Sheriff Hardy arrived in the city this morning from the north with Andrew Johnson, who lives near Pequot, who was adjudged insane and ordered committed to the asylum at Fergus Falls. He was taken there this afternoon.

The law firm of Polk & Polk removed today to their elegant and commodious new suite of office rooms over the Northern Pacific bank. This firm has built up a lucrative practice in the city and county, and they are now pleasantly and comfortably situated to handle the large volume of business.

A Delicious Supper.

A Shredded Wheat luncheon will be given Monday Evening, Feb. 3rd, at Walker's Hall, complimentary to the ladies of the Congregational church by the Natural Food Co., of Niagara Falls, N. Y. under the supervision of Miss Lucas their representative who is now in the city demonstrating. Follow will be the menu served:

Shredded Wheat Biscuit with Cream.
Cream Peas in Shredded Wheat Baskets.
Van Camp's Pork and Beans.
Bread and Butter. Cold Ham.
Escalloped Potatoes.
Pickles.
Shredded Wheat Pineapple Souffle.
Chocolate Cake. Nut Cake.

Supper 25 cents.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body: Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

For Sale.

Six tons red top and blue joint hay at \$6.00 per ton.

1,000 bales hay at 40c per bale.

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Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Neighborhood Gossip.

A. Ferguson, traveling for A. Booth & Co., died at Devils Lake, N. D.

The Val Blatz brewing company is building a new warehouse at Moorhead.

Dr. Louis Nelson, of Lake Park, has removed to Fargo and opened dental parlors there.

The remains of Mrs. B. F. Mackall, who died in Moorhead, were taken to Georgetown, Maryland, for burial.

Miss M. Russell Pease, daughter of Editor Pease of Anoka, has been married to John F. Jackson, of Anoka.

There are now six cases pending against John Hass and his bartender, John Hölzer, at Fargo as a result of the recent little fracas.

The third annual convention of the North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Implement Dealers association is being held at Crookston.

The people of Gully and adjoining townships are moving in the matter of building a Catholic church and have already raised \$700 toward the fund.

Sheriff Schilpin, of St. Cloud, arrested at Fair Haven, Albert Robbins, who is charged with threatening to murder his wife and their child.

Baptist Turpin, the venerable patriarch of the Pembina band of Chippewas and one of the oldest settlers of the state, died at the age of 90 years.

The residence of J. A. Fingelseth, of Fertile, was destroyed by fire. A high wind was blowing and for a time the business portion of Fertile was threatened.

M. Randall, a brakeman on the Eastern Minnesota railroad, fell between cars at Glasston. The wheels crushed his right arm and he was otherwise injured.

James Kelly, of Clara City, has been arrested on a warrant sworn out by the Northwestern Elevator company, charging him with the embezzling of \$615.

The Odd Fellows at Crookston have let the contract for fitting up the first floor of their new hall for the use of the Crookston Library and Gymnasium Association.

The bridge over the Great Northern track at Ashby was considerably damaged in the elevator fire that occurred there Friday afternoon, and trains were delayed for some little time.

The council of Duluth appropriated \$150 to bear the expenses of a committee to go to St. Paul and work against the passage of the new tax bill, as far as the interests of that city and section are threatened.

Special Agent Thorpe, of the St. Cloud land office, has received orders from the department at Washington postponing the hearing on the swamp land cases, which was to have been held in Duluth in February.

A colony of fifty settlers from Clay county will take land between Coal Harbor and Turtle Lake, in McLean county, N. D. The members of the colony have plenty of funds and live stock and will be a valuable addition to the settlement over west.

Fire originated in the second story of Krook & Nelson's furniture store at Laverne, and consumed the entire building, made the stock an almost total loss and inflicted damage on the hardware stock of J. W. Gerber and the grocery stock of E. B. Burleigh.

C. H. Virnig, town clerk of Pierz, has written a letter to M. M. Williams, vice president of the Minnesota Midland Electric Railway company, stating that many people of Pierz and adjoining towns desire a public meeting at which the people could discuss with the railroad officials the possibility of securing the extension of the line eastward from Little Falls.—Transcript.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Money to Loan—Houses for Sale.

On the easiest terms ever offered. No use to pay rent. Investigate this.

P. B. NETTLETON,
Palace Hotel.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Read This.

Winter clothing and shoes are still being sold at Westfall's at the great cut 33 1/2 per cent discount.

KATRINE.

Sheriff Erickson was out summoning jurors.

Monday morning 26 degrees below zero, Tuesday 24.

Seven teams are hauling hardwood lumber to Deerwood.

Three loads of logs go to the bottom at the narrow Saturday.

R. J. Maghan was rushing through this section last week on county business.

Mrs. D. Archibald and Miss Ethel were visiting Mrs. Wheelan and Mrs. Fuller, Thursday.

Several were on the sick list at the camp for a day or two. They put up too rich food there.

Max Kneiff has bought 50 acres of land of Mr. Soule, and will build a dwelling in the spring.

The Pine Tree Co.'s lands will be in the market in the spring. These lands have been held up 11 years.

D. Archibald was at Katrine and as near as we could find out there will be no surprise until next week.

G. A. Hunt says he will go to Brainerd and have the dog tax he paid rebated. That's the way we used to catch rabbits, we rebated the trap.

The latest victim to the dog tax is Mrs. Sarah Mack. If Mrs. Mack wants a dog, we saw three at Miller's store the other day. There are dogs enough at North Bay to give every body one.

The smallpox scare is over and now the people are discussing the dog tax. It looks as if every taxpayer was assessed a dog, several having paid the tax who never owned one. The dollar to us was all right as we have the dog. We have one boy at home, you could not keep a boy on the farm unless he has a dog. It would be safe to put down a dog for every boy. Commissioner Maghan has five boys, while Newgard has none. Things will get blue at North Bay if Newgard pays a dog tax. Several years ago Nick had a tame skunk but always drew the line on dogs.

Echo.

LOVES THE GAME.

Why Rich Pierpont Morgan Continues to Work For Money.

A friend recently asked J. Pierpont Morgan why it was he devoted so much time to accumulating money when his income already was so large, concluding that it must be because he simply loved money, says a New York correspondent of the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

"No, no," exclaimed Mr. Morgan. "I do not love money for its sake, I assure you; but, candidly, I do enjoy the excitement, the fun and the battle in making it. With my bank interests I could not retire if I would. I have my work to fulfill and I must continue in business. It is a very true saying that 'Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown,' and there is no end to the responsibility and no rest for the leader, whether in affairs of state, at the head of an army or a financial house. It is only the excitement of the game, so to speak, that keeps one up, not the prospective gain, I assure you. Success or wealth, like the snowball, gathers unto itself. I long ago made the sum of money which in my boyhood days I dreamed that I would like to have, but I had created an enterprise that demanded my time and attention to develop, and I have never since been able to get away from the treadmill and now never expect to until senility or death claims me."

NEWS CONDENSATIONS.

Saturday, Jan. 25.

Governor Ormon has issued a call for a special session of the Colorado legislature.

The herd of buffalo in the Yellowstone National park is reported to be rapidly dying off.

Henry Schaub who, in June last, murdered his wife and child, has been sentenced to death at Newark, N. J.

Captain John Alexander Armstrong, aged 74, one of the best known river men between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati is dead at Huntington, W. Va.

The members of the Minnesota delegation state that there will be a bill passed at this session of congress to create another judicial district in Minnesota.

The senate committee on public buildings and grounds has authorized a favorable report on Senator Platt's bill for a new postoffice at New York to cost \$2,500,000.

House Session Short.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The house adjourned after being in session 25 minutes. Mr. Hopkins (Ill.) reported the permanent census bureau bill and gave notice that he would call it up the following day. A request to make the pleomargarine bill a special order for next Monday was objected to on the Democratic side.

CHARTER GRANTED FOR NATIONAL

Bank at Cass Lake in Which Brainerd Capitalists are Largely Interested.

THE PRIVATE BANK IS MERGED.

The Application was Made A Few Days Ago and was Promptly Acted Upon.

A few days ago an application was made to the controller of currency at Washington for a charter for the establishment of a First National bank at Cass Lake, and yesterday President A. F. Ferris, of the First National bank in this city, received the information by telegraph that the application had been granted and the charter sent on by mail.

The private bank at Cass Lake, which has been operated by Messrs. A. F. Ferris and George D. LaBar, will be merged into the new First National and others in the city are interested in the new financial institution.

Those who applied for the charter are: A. F. Ferris, George D. LaBar, H. E. Reed, G. W. Holland and F. B. Johnson, all of this city except Mr. Reed, who is now employed in the bank at Cass Lake.

The new bank will be capitalized at \$25,000.

For Bargains.

Westfall's table is full of the choicest for men and children. Call and see.

Nettleton makes real estate loans and helps people to get homes.

Mahoney's BAKERY.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

HOME MADE BREAD

VIENNA BREAD

GRAHAM BREAD

CREAM BREAD

RYE BREAD

YOU CAN BUY

Anything at our Store that is made at a first class, up-to-date BAKERY, as our Bakers are artists at their line and our goods are pure, clean, fresh and wholesome at all times.

—Yours to Please—
D. MAHONEY.

BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday Feb. 5.

LIEBLER & CO'S

Immense Production

OF

HALL CAINE'S GREAT PLAY

"The Christian."

50 People 50

Including

W. S. Hart
as
John Storm

Lilla Vane
as
Glory Quayle

2 Carloads

of
Scenery

Prices—\$1.50 \$1 and 50c.

MONEY MAKES MONEY

THAT'S WHY
CALE & BANE'S
CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
is the busiest place in town these days. There you buy the BEST GOODS at the CHEAPEST PRICE.

CROCCERY DEPARTMENT.

1 lb. taff. Can	10c
Salmon	8c
Fine Bulk Currants	7c
per lb.	20c
Carolina Rice	
per lb.	
6 Glass Tumblers	

MEAT DEPARTMENT.

Spare Ribbs	per lb. 3c
Pork Steak	10c
per lb.	10c
Vienna Sausage	8c
per lb.	8c
Liver Sausage	
per lb.	
Pork Sausage	
per lb.	

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

The cold spell makes Warm Clothes and Over Shoes a necessity. Our 25 and 50 per cent Discount Sale makes them cheap. It only lasts 'till Feb. 1st. Money Cheerfully Refunded if Goods are not Satisfactory.

—Phone Call: 75-2.

Prompt delivery to all parts of the city.

CALE & BANE.

BRAINERD LUMBER COMPANY,

BRAINERD, MINN.

Mills and Yards at Rice Lake, East Brainerd.

We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Lumber, Lath Shingles and Building Material. Short Lumber of all grades, and Low Grade of Dimension and boards at very low prices for Cash.

FIVE SNAPS!

\$450.00 For lot 9 Block 49 Front Street, with two-story frame shop building thereon.

\$700.00 For No. 510 south 5th street, being lot 8 and 9, block 125 with 7 room frame dwelling, all in good condition. City water and brick cellar.

\$550.00 For No. 1020 south 6th street, being lots 2 and 3, block 271 with 6 room dwelling. With a little repair this property is worth \$1,000.

\$125.00 For lot 13, block 1, Fairview addition. Size 40x140, corner lot.

\$80.00 For lot 3, block 9 Sleeper addition. Size 50x150 feet.

The above prices are good for 10 days only and must be all cash.

J. R. SMITH,
SLEEPER BLOCK.

MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio. For Sale by JOHNSON'S PHARMACY

W. H. MANTOR OUT T. C. BLEWITT IN Judge Resigns as Municipal Judge of the City of Brainerd Effective Feb. 1.

BLEWITT WILL SUCCEED HIM. Gov. Van Sant Accepts Resignation of Judge Mantor and Appoints His Successor.

It will be a surprise to many in the city to learn that Judge W. H. Mantor has resigned as judge of the municipal court of the city of Brainerd and the same has been accepted by Governor S. R. Van Sant. The resignation was sent to the executive head some days ago but was not acted upon until this afternoon.

The governor had no sooner accepted the resignation of Judge Mantor than he appointed Attorney T. C. Blewitt to succeed him, on a strong petition signed by a large number of the friends of the latter in the city.

Judge Mantor resigns his position as municipal judge at this time to enter into partnership with Judge S. F. Alderman in the law business.

The appointment of T. C. Blewitt as judge will be effective February 1, and at that time Messrs. Alderman and Mantor will form the partnership. Both gentlemen stand high in the profession and they will make a very strong team.

Mr. T. C. Blewitt is also well and favorably known both legally and otherwise, and THE DISPATCH joins with a large circle of friends in extending congratulations.

DEERWOOD.

Wm. Coffin is still confined to the house with the rheumatism.

The proprietor of the Sandy Lake boarding house objects to having his place mentioned in the papers.

George Elmer has moved over to the Berthwick place and will make his home there the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have moved into the McCarvill cottage and will very soon be at home to friends.

Mrs. Joseph Raymond, who is seriously sick, was removed to the hospital at Brainerd on Wednesday evening.

There was a good many out to the Epworth league on Sunday evening, and the young people are enjoying the services very much.

There is rumor that a crocodile and surprise party will meet in the very near future. I presume it will be made up of the select twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill expect to start in a few days for Los Angeles, California, where they will spend a couple of months. We wish them a safe journey and a pleasant time.

The school house question is still before the people of district No. 7, but the general opinion is that there will be an addition built on the old building and two teachers employed another year.

The dance which was to have been at Mr. Ream's was transferred to Wm. Elmore's house. The large crowd present report having a good time. Sheriff Erickson was present but did not take any part in the pleasures of the hour.

JACOB.

Very Appropriate.
"What did he get \$300 back pension for?"
"Oh, he was shot in the back!"—Smart Set.

The Bliss of It.
While I slave in the strife
To make gold for the Mrs.
The pet dog of my wife
Lives on cream puffs and Krs.
To lead a dog's life.
Faith, the acme of bliss.
—Philadelphia Press.

Senator Galtinger has introduced a bill prohibiting vivisection in the District of Columbia.

The son of Prince Ching has been nominated to represent China at the coronation of King Edward.

Lord Kitchener reports that since Jan. 13 31 Boers were killed, 13 wounded, 170 were made prisoners and 41 surrendered.

Tom Sharkey and Peter Maher may go to Louisville to refight the battle which resulted in a failure at Philadelphia on Friday night.

William F. Hoffmeister of St. Louis, formerly supreme recorder of the Legion of Honor, committed suicide at the Planters hotel in that city by shooting himself with a revolver.

FERRIS-NELSON.

Nuptials Celebrated Last Night at the Home of the Bride, Rev. M. L. Hutton Officiating.

Last night at 7:30 o'clock Mr. A. F. Ferris and Miss Helen B. Nelson were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride, Rev. M. L. Hutton, of the First Congregational church, officiating.

The wedding was strictly private, none but relatives of the contracting parties being present. The bride is well known in this city, where she has resided from childhood. She was for years connected with the dry goods emporium of Henry I. Cohen, as cashier. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Nelson, who live on Fir street.

The bridegroom is too well known in this city to require extended mention. He is president of the First National bank and one of the most influential men in the city. The DISPATCH extends congratulations.

RECEPTION TENDERED THEM.

A Large Number of Members of St. Paul's Church Gather at the Rectory to Extend Greeting.

A very pleasant reception was tendered to Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Farrar at the rectory of St. Paul's Episcopal church on Tuesday evening, when some seventy-five or one hundred guests called to extend a greeting to this worthy couple who are recent arrivals in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrar were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKay and the rooms of the beautiful rectory had been handsomely decorated for the event.

During the evening refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

Some of our clients have money to loan on improved farms.

LINDBERGH & BLANCHARD,
Little Falls, Minn.

For fire insurance see T. C. Blewitt

JUST THINK OF IT.

A man who has paid rent for twenty years, has paid for three or four good houses; probably better ones than he has ever occupied, yet he does not own a stone or the foundation or a shingle in a roof. Rent money gives use only. Purchase money gives use and ownership. Adopt business methods and buy a home and pay for it with the money you are now paying for rent.

I can sell you a place that will suit a man at a very reasonable price and small monthly payment which includes both principal and interest. Let me show you what I have.

P. B. NETTELTON,
PALACE HOTEL.

DR. H. C. WATSON DEAD.

The Remains Passed Through This City Today Accompanied by The Bereaved Wife.

On Tuesday night at Bemidji Dr. H. C. Watson, who is known to some extent in this city, passed away after a long tussle with that dreaded disease, consumption. He came to Bemidji about a year ago for the benefit of his health and was improving up to a short time ago when he was taken down again.

The remains arrived in the city this morning accompanied by Mrs. Watson and J. A. Robbel. They left for the east this afternoon and the burial will take place at Beaver Falls, Pa.

His Interest.

Farmer Wayback—Those pesky boys tied a tin pail to that dog's tail and ran him eleven miles. I'll sue 'em.
Mr. Cityman—Was it your dog?
Farmer Wayback—No; it was my pail.—Somerville Journal.

Poor Old Man!

He—Do you think your father would be willing to listen to my plea this evening?
She—Heavens, don't plead! Threaten. Pa's more used to it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Unintentionally Charitable.
"Lucia Lala is more charitable than I thought."
"No she consented to sing at your charity concert?"
"No, she refused."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

What He Forgets.

When a young lover figures on whether he can support a wife, he counts in everything except the rent, butcher and grocer, clothes and incidentals.—New York Press.

Nothing to Him.

"Ida—the assertion that you were 'good enough to eat' did not appeal to him?"
May (sadly)—No; he is a dyspeptic.—Chicago Daily News.

Her Idea.

Sally Gay—What is your idea of a hero?
Dolly Swift—A man who doesn't need any mistletoe.—Puck.

CLERKS JUBILANT OVER SUCCESS

The Early Closing Movement Goes Through with a Sweep this Morning.

EVERY MERCHANT FREELY SIGNS

Agreement to Close His Store at 6:30 O'clock Commencing with February 1.

The members of the Retail Clerks' Protective Association are very jubilant this afternoon over their success in getting the merchants of the city to close their respective places of business at 6:30 o'clock evenings, commencing with February 1, and continuing for two months.

The association had quite a time to get all the merchants to sign this agreement and some hard work was done by the committee named by the association to go out and interview the business men and merchants. This morning Joe Early and Albert M. Johnson who are on this committee went out to get a few of those who had hung back and so unanimously had the other merchants responded that they too put their names down, so that every merchant in the city now has his name affixed to the agreement.

This agreement provides that the store closes at 6:30 p. m. o'clock every evening for two months except on pay days at the Northern Pacific shops, the Parker & Topping foundry and the Brainerd Lumber Co's mills and also Saturday nights.

The following merchants have signed the agreement: Slipp Bros., M. J. Reilly, Reilly & Smith, Henry I. Cohen, R. F. Walters, C. L. Burnett, William Murry, E. S. Houghton, A. G. Lagerquist, Graham Bros., A. L. Hoffman & Co., Mrs. Carrie Lagerquist, C. B. White, William H. Erb, Kauff Bros., F. H. Gruenhagen, Paine & McGinn, R. Parker, C. M.

NEW TAX LAW.

The new proposed tax law with its extended power given to assessors, the supervision of the assessments, review, etc., are features against which no honest tax payer could protest.

But in the light of recent developments, as set forth in the report to congress by the interstate commerce commission, what hope is there that this law would dig very far into corporate interest? Would not the very object for which the law was undoubtedly framed be defeated?

It is so easy to ask questions, and there are champions ever ready to give you the light "pro and con." But I have observed that most laws enacted for the restraining and controlling of corporations, become inoperative, or have no legal status, while those framed in the interest of corporations and against the people, stand as adamant. One thing sure, as Mr. Trombald says, "It will make it pretty warm for the assessor, and dangerous for the tax payer."

THE Taming of the Shrew.

Every scholar who is familiar with Shakespeare's immortal comedy "The Taming of the Shrew" will be delighted with the announcement that a grand scenic revival of the play will be given at the Brainerd Opera House shortly by Charles B. Hanford and a strong supporting company headed by Helen Grantly. This play, however does not appeal simply to scholars or persons of a studious frame of mind. It is so replete with mythical incidents and amusing situations that all classes of theatre goers are satisfied by its presentation. Wherever the piece has been produced this season the reports say that it has been played to immense audiences who have signified their approval by frequent outbursts of laughter and hearty applause. Mr. Hanford and Miss Grantly are said to have scored success in the leading roles of Petruchio and Katherine.

MR. WHITESIDE'S SHYLOCK.

Mr. Walker Whiteside was greeted by another large audience at the

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

THE CHRISTIAN.

Hall Caine's great play, "The Christian," is beyond question the most talked of, popular and successful drama of the day. It comes to the Brainerd Opera House on Feb. 5, and presented by a splendid company under the management of Liebler & Co.

In making the dramatization of this play from his famous novel, Mr. Caine exercised the liberty of the dramatist only to the extent absolutely necessary, and while in some features the play differs from the book, such difference only tends to strengthen the situation and the effect, and does not detract from the value of the story.

One of the most affecting scenes is where John Storm enters the apartment of Glory Quayle, at night with the purpose of making her pray and saving her soul through death. But the love of Glory triumphs. The play ends with a mutual understanding between them, they deciding to brave life's battles together.

Everybody should see "The Christian." It is at once the most powerful, absorbing and intensely dramatic play ever written, an example of moral lesson, and the most eloquent and masterly sermon ever preached.

THE GLEE CLUB.

Of the Minnesota University Glee Club which appears at the Brainerd Opera House on the evening of February 6, the Austin Herald has the following to say:

"The University of Minnesota Glee and Mandolin club gave a very creditable entertainment at the opera house, Wednesday night. The organization is a superb one and their class of entertainment was far above the average. The singing was good and the members of the Glee club all have excellent voices."

"The audience was large and representative of Austin's best society, and makes noticeable the fact that whenever the Ladies' Musical society provides an entertainment it is sure to be well attended and the program to possess special merit in whatever line of entertainment."

BARBARA FRIETCHIE.

The first act of "Barbara Frietchie" the greatest of all war dramas in which Mr. James Neill and the famous Neill company will be seen in this city for one performance on Feb. 11, at the Brainerd Opera House, discloses the exterior of the Frietchie home in Frederick, Maryland. It is a picturesque dwelling built in the colonial style of architecture. It is of red brick with white trimmings, and over its steps is a balcony supported by four Corinthian columns. Upon a darkened theatre the curtain rises slowly and softly without orchestral music. It is the starry twilight of a languorous summer night and the air is tremulous and full of the scent of honeysuckle and jasmine. On the steps of the Frietchie house, sit three pretty young creatures dressed in the quaint, soft, light dresses of the period, open at the neck and sleeveless. Through the window Barbara is heard singing "Kathleen Mavourneen". The conversation outside turns to the love affair of Barbara, particularly her love for Captain Trumbull, a Union officer then stationed at Frederick.

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The Big Store.

Clearance Sale.

Price-cutting has been terrific in this store, because we must close out all **WINTER GOODS**, and that at once, as our **SPRING GOODS** are commencing to arrive and we must have space.

Any Winter Wants that you may have now, can be filled here at your most economical heart's content. Prices are made regardless of COST, but how little shall we make it to make it sell.

The opportunity is open to you now to save an unusual amount of money in your purchases.

MRS. B. KAATZ & SON,

203-205 Kindred Street,

East Brainerd.

Brainerd Opera House last night on his return to the city after a very successful trip over Manager Walker's circuit. The "Merchant of Venice" was the production last night and Mr. Whiteside appeared as Shylock. This role was carried by him with entire satisfaction, the audience showing their appreciation of his interpretation of this great role by frequent and extended applause.

Miss Walston as Portia was especially good in this role and appeared to much better advantage than on the last engagement of the company when "Heart and Sword" was put on. The entire cast was good and Mr. Whiteside has never been surrounded by a better array of artists than at the present time.

Offered Earl A Job.

The following little clipping from the Minneapolis Journal will be enjoyed by some of Earl Mallory's friends in this city:

Earl Mallory, president of the Junior Ball association, has learned how flimsy and vaporous is fame. For weeks he has been busy with arrangements for Friday's ball. The appointing of a foreman to superintend the work of decorating the armory fell to a fellow member of the committee who secured a man and bade him gather a crew of menials to assist.

Yesterday, Mallory (who's picture by the way has been in nearly all of the papers) was waiting for a car near the university when a workman came up and said:

"Say, young man would you like a job? You're just the man I want."

"What's there in it?" asked the boss committeeman.

"I'll give you \$1.50 a day while the work lasts," was the offer.

Well, I don't know," said Mallory. "What's the work?"

"I want a young fellow to help decorate the armory for the junior ball."

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed for, at the Brainerd, Minn., postoffice, for the week ending Jan. 31, 1902:
When called for say "Advertised."
Anderson Chase
Arlina Dan A
Bern Toney
Bergeman John
Bate Mrs Bertha
Cook W W
Denrell Chas
Davis Mrs Clara
Donnerberg Herman B
Dillon Jak
Dougherty Mrs Bessie
Dorr Mrs Marie
Egan John
Egan Jennie
Eggleston Fred
Evenson Mrs O
Graft M M
Goodale Wm A
Howard Flora
Klein Chas
Murphy Emma 3033rd
Street
Symon A O
Tanner A
Olson Ed
Peterson John
Peterson Carrie
Peters Mrs S H
McCallum Ed
Stock M J
Smith A F
Tscholski W
Thomas C E
Wood Mrs J S
Wadstrom Neis
White L E
N. H. Ingham, P. M.

Unclaimed Packages.

Brainerd Post office, Jan. 31, 1902.
Dravland Fred
Phillips Thos
Thompson Mrs Annie
O'Day Pat
Robinson Mrs Lucia E
N. H. Ingham, P. M.

If Banner Salve

doesn't cure your piles, your money will be refunded. It is the most healing medicine. H. P. Dunn & Co.—McFadden Drug Co.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR

He Got Them.

"Mamma," said a little three-year-old, blue-eyed, chubby-faced boy the other day after a few moments' serious cogitation—"mamma, suppose you was a little boy and I was you."

Mamma (who has just declined giving the young gentleman any more jam and cakes)—Well?

"I'd let you have plenty of cakes, mamma, and I'd ask papa for money to buy fruit with—a dollar's worth."

"And if I was a little boy," said mamma, "I wouldn't frown and be naughty and kick the chairs when my mamma told me she couldn't give me more jam and cake than was good for me."

"Ah, but you can't be a little boy," said the youngster, who instinctively felt that this was a heavy dig in his infantile sides, "and you can't climb up to heaven to be made over again, can you, 'cause ladies can't climb?"

Mamma was silent, and more cakes were the result.

The Chronic Growler.

"Krankley should be happy now."

"Not at all. He's more unhappy than ever."

"Why, he's making barrels of money."

"Yes, and it keeps him so busy he doesn't get time to kick about anything."—Philadelphia Press.

The Cause.

Gilgal—Have you heard of the smash-up of the Universal bank?

Kilduff—Has it gone up?

Gilgal—Yes; gone to everlasting smash.

Kilduff—What is the typewriter's name?—Leslie's Weekly.

At the Street Car Office.

"Who are you that you come here and talk to us like that?" asked one of the officers of the corporation. "Are you a stockholder?"

"No, sir," he thundered. "I'm one of the strapholders!"—Indianapolis Sentinel.

The Effect.

Castleton—What's the matter with Clubberly's automobile? It seems a little wild.

Fittleton—He got caught in the country where there was no gasoline and had to use drugstore whisky.—Judge.

The Real Thing.



Author—Well, old man, how do you like my new play?

Critic—It's simply great. The robbery in the second act is the most realistic piece of work I ever saw on the stage.

Author (pleased)—You really think so?

Critic—Of course I do. Why, even the words spoken by the thieves are stolen!

NORTHERN PACIFIC BANK

WERNER HEMSTEAD, President
J. F. McGINNIS, Vice Pres.
H. D. TREGLEWNY, Cashier.
J. A. BATCHELDER, Asst. Cashier.

Capital \$25,000. Surplus \$6,000.

General Bankin' Business
Transacted.

Your Account Solicited.

HOLDEN'S BUFFET

Is the popular resort
when looking for.....

Choice Wines and Liquors
Fine Imported and

DOMESTIC * CIGARS.

Call on

Dee Holden,

Sleeper Block, Front Street

We serve only goods we
can guarantee.



J. R. SMITH. FIRE INSURANCE, and Real Estate Office.

We represent 15 of the best "Fire"
Companies, and use special forms
to fully protect our policy holders,
at lowest rates. Choice bargains in

Real Estate, Houses to Rent,
Loans Negotiated.

Call day or evening, Room 2, Sleeper
block, Brainerd, Minn.

MINNESOTA & INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY CO.

TIME CARD.
Trains arrive at and depart from the
Northern Pacific Depot.

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
2:00 Brainerd	11:45 A. M.
2:25 Le Sueur	11:45 A. M.
2:50 Herbert	11:45 A. M.
3:15 Smiley	11:45 A. M.
3:40 Pequot	11:45 A. M.
3:55 Jenkins	11:45 A. M.
4:10 Walker	11:45 A. M.
4:25 Backus	11:45 A. M.
4:40 Hackmeck	11:45 A. M.
4:55 Lakeport	11:45 A. M.
5:10 Guthrie	11:45 A. M.
5:25 Nary	11:45 A. M.
5:40 Bemidji	11:45 A. M.
5:55 Mankato	11:45 A. M.
6:10 Turtle	11:45 A. M.
6:25 Tenstrike	11:45 A. M.
6:40 Blackduck	11:45 A. M.

W. H. GEMMELL, Gen. Manager.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Brainerd, Minn.

A. F. FERRIS, President
G. D. LABAR, Cashier.

Capital, \$50,000
Surplus, \$30,000

Business accounts invited.

FOR Insurance,

Real Estate, Rents and Collections,
Apply to
R. G. VALLENTYNE,
First National Bank Building—
BRainerd, MINN.

A. PURDY,

Livery, Feed and Sale Stable.

Laurel Street
Telephone Call 64-2

WIRES ARE ALL DOWN

AN UNPRECEDENTED STORM OF
SNOW AND SLEET IN
THE SOUTH.

BUSINESS AT A STANDSTILL

Little Rock, Ark., Practically Cut Off
From the Rest of the World—Loss
Will Reach Nearly Half a Million.

Streets of Lexington, Ky., a Tan-
gled Mass of Trees and Telegraph
Poles—Ohio Also Suffers.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 30.—The
heaviest losses ever sustained in Little
Rock from a like cause is the result
of the terrible storm of sleet and cold
rain which has prevailed here for the
past three days. The business section
of the city is a scene of desolation
and business men on every hand are
mourning heavy losses that cannot be
recovered by insurance. The estimated
damage will exceed \$400,000, including
loss to business. In many instances
the loss has not yet attained its limit
and continued damage will occur
where the accumulated snow and
sleet is not removed from the roofs of
the buildings. In addition to the
damage by water in the stores the
main street suffered more than any
other part of the city.

Add to this, in some parts of the
city the telegraph and telephone poles
are all down, pulling trees and wires
with them and forming a congealed
mass of wreckage. Street cars were
irregular all day. The fall of sleet
amounted to about five inches. Little
Rock is practically shut off from the
world.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 30.—Lexington
was in darkness during the night and
almost every street is blocked with
fallen trees, telephone poles and tan-
gled wires. The sleet has continued
without cessation for the last 24 hours
and the snapping of trees and poles
was like cannonading.

The mayor ordered all electric cur-
rents, except those supplying several
street car lines, cut off for safety.
Telephone companies have suffered
seriously. Beautiful trees for which
the city is noted are falling by hun-
dreds. The sleet continues and in the
heaviness of the fall and disastrous
effects promises to eclipse any ever
experienced here.

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—A heavy snow
and sleet storm struck this city dur-
ing the morning and over four inches
of snow now covers the ground. Street
cars have much difficulty in running
and some of the trains from the West
are reported delayed. The storm is
general over the Ohio valley.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 30.—Kansas is
covered with a thick blanket of snow,
which has been falling for the past
two days and which is still falling.
At Larned it is nine inches deep on the
level and is falling yet.

BY RUNAWAY CARS.

Three People Killed and Two Fatally
Injured at Wilmerding, Pa.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—Three people
killed, two fatally hurt and a score of
others more or less injured, is the
record made by two runaway cars on
the Monongahela branch of the Pitts-
burg Railway company. The dead are
John McFadden, Mary Kinkaid and
Robert T. Rush.

The accident happened at the foot
of the long hill running into Wilmer-
ding from McKeesport. A car without
passengers got beyond control of the
motorman and dashed down the hill
one and a quarter miles long at a
terrific speed. At the bottom it jumped
into the Pennsylvania railroad station,
carrying away the side of the depot
and tearing up the platform.

Charles Bright, the motorman, was
so badly hurt that he cannot recover.
A large crowd gathered about the
wreck and 12 minutes later a second
runaway car came tearing down the
hill and ploughed into the crowd with
death dealing force.

The scene of the wreck when the
second car was hurled into the crowd
was beyond description. A blinding
sleet storm prevailed at the time and
it is said the two cars "skated" down
the hill with brakes tightly set.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTION.

Board of Trustees Meets at Washing-
ton and Organizes.

Washington, Jan. 30.—An adjourned
meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie
institution was held at the state de-
partment during the afternoon and
a long step was taken towards per-
manent organization and the initiation
of the work of the institution. Abram
S. Hewitt of New York called the meet-
ing to order and Secretary Hay was
elected temporary chairman and
Charles D. Walcott temporary secre-
tary. William E. Dodge of New York
was elected to the board to fill a va-
cancy caused by the declination of ex-
President Cleveland, who sent a letter
regretting his inability to serve. After
the roll call Mr. Andrew Carnegie
made a brief address presenting the
deed of gift.

After accepting the deed of gift the
trustees proceeded to adopt bylaws
and then elected the following officers:
Chairman of the board of trustees,
Abram S. Hewitt; vice chairman, Dr.
J. S. Billings; secretary, Charles D.
Walcott. Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, late
of Johns Hopkins university, was elected
president of the Carnegie institu-
tion.

Last Veteran of the War of 1812.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The house
committee on pensions has reported
favorably a bill granting a pension of
\$25 per month to the last surviving
soldier of the War of 1812, Hiram Crock
of Oneida county, N. Y., aged 102
years.

WILL INVADE SOUTH AFRICA.

Commercial Germany Waiting for the
End of the Boer War.

London, Jan. 30.—Mr. Hales, the
correspondent of The Daily Express
in Berlin, predicts that should peace
eventuate in South Africa commercial
Germany will sweep down upon that
country and endeavor to divert its
trade to Germany. There is no doubt,
says Mr. Hales, that the Germans will
leave no stone unturned to take the
fruits of the war from Great Britain.
Mr. Hales prophesies that the German
invasion of South Africa will eclipse
the rush of Germans to America 50
years ago and says that the openness
of the tariff in South Africa is expected
to bring German merchants a sub-
stantial advantage, and that the latter
believe so great that it will assure
preferential treatment to the Germans.

A VIENNA PIPE DREAM.

Said That Germany is Negotiating to
Buy the Philippines.

Vienna, Jan. 30.—The Neues Wiener
Tagblatt asserts that negotiations are
in progress for the sale of the Philip-
pine islands to Germany and that the
visit of Prince Henry to the United
States is preliminary to the announce-
ment of this sale.

Brothers Fight a Duel.

London, Jan. 30.—Special dispatches
received here from Vienna report that
in a duel fought at Cattaro, Dalmatia,
Austria-Hungary, between the heredi-
tary prince of Montenegro, Danilo
Alexander, and his brother, Prince
Mirko, on account of the latter having
ridiculed the wife of his brother, Prin-
cess Jutta, the Duchess of Mecklen-
burg, Prince Danilo was slightly
wounded, but has since gone with his
wife to visit the Italian court.

Gets a Colonial Governorship.

London, Jan. 30.—Vice Admiral Sir
Henry H. Rawson, who was command-
er of the channel squadron from 1898
to 1901, has been appointed governor
of New South Wales. This is the first
time in history that the government
has appointed an admiral to a colonial
governorship, which had long been a
sore point with the navy.

Was Temporarily Insane.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Jan. 30.—
James Carroll, a contractor of this
city, shot and killed his wife and then
killed himself. He left no word and
the only witnesses to the tragedy were
the little 5-year-old son and infant
daughter. It is thought that Carroll
was temporarily insane.

Job for Admiral Beresford.

London, Jan. 30.—The Tien Tsin
correspondent of The Standard says
that the emperor has ordered Admiral
Yeh to organize a naval college at Che
Foo and to engage Rear Admiral Lord
Charles Beresford to act as naval in-
structor at the college.

Are Placing Orders for Arms.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Chilean gov-
ernment has ordered 15,000 sword bay-
onets from Solingen, Prussia, and six
weeks ago the agent in Germany of
Argentina also placed some orders for
arms with German manufacturers.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The smallpox epidemic in London,
after falling to 29 cases daily last
week, increased suddenly this week
and reached the record of 71 cases
Wednesday.

Sister Mary Constance Bentivoglio,
mother superior of the Omaha Con-
vent of St. Clare and relative of Pope
Leo, died Wednesday at the monastery
of pneumonia.

John Tracy, a hostler, aged 28 years,
has been arrested at Buffalo, N. Y.,
charged with the murder of Jeweler
R. E. Brown, who was robbed and
killed a week ago last Sunday.

A suit has been brought by the
State of Minnesota against the West-
ern Union Telegraph company to en-
force the collection of \$47,497.95,
claimed to be due as personal prop-
erty taxes for 1899 and 1900.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Jan. 29.—Wheat—
Cash, 75½¢; May, 75½¢; July, 76½¢.
On Track—No. 1 hard, 77¢; No. 1
Northern, 75½¢; No. 2 Northern,
74½¢.

Sioux City Live Stock.

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 29.—Cattle—
Beefers, \$4.00@5.85; cows, bulls and
mixed, \$1.50@4.65; stockers and feed-
ers, \$2.00@4.30; calves and yearlings,
\$2.75@4.00. Hogs—\$5.85@6.10.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Cash, No.
1 hard, 77½¢; No. 1 Northern, 74½¢;
No. 2 Northern, 72½¢; No. 3 spring,
70½¢; To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 77½¢;
No. 1 Northern, 74½¢; May, 77½¢;
July, 77½¢. Flax—Cash, \$1.69.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Fancy
butcher steers, \$5.50@6.10; fancy
butcher cows and heifers, \$4.25@4.75;
good to choice veals, \$4.50@5.25;
good to choice feeders, \$3.40@4.00.
Hogs—\$5.70@6.10. Sheep—Good to
choice, \$4.25@4.60; lambs, \$5.00@5.50.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$6.50@7.40; poor to me-
dium, \$4.00@6.00; stockers and feed-
ers, \$2.25@4.50; cows and heifers,
\$1.25@5.50; Texas steers, \$4.00@5.25.
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.80@
6.30; good to choice heavy, \$6.15@
6.40; rough heavy, \$5.90@6.10; light,
\$5.60@5.90; bulk of sales, \$5.50@6.20.
Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.30@5.00;
lambs, \$2.50@6.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Jan.,
75½¢; May, 78½¢@79¢; July, 78½¢.
Corn—Jan., 53½¢; May, 62½¢; July,
62½¢@63¢; Sept., 61½¢. Oats—Jan.,
43½¢; May, 44½¢; July, 38½¢; Sept.,
32½¢. Pork—Jan., \$15.70; May,
\$15.90; July, \$16.05. Lard—Cash
Northwestern, \$1.72; May, \$1.73. But-
ter—Creameries, 15¢@21¢; dairies,
14¢@20¢. Eggs—24¢. Poultry—Tur-
keys, 9¢@12½¢; chickens, 7¢@9½¢.

SUMMONS IN A MINCE PIE.

Dr. Quackenbos Subpoenaed Aunt by
Medium of Her Favorite Pastry.

Dr. John D. Quackenbos, professor
emeritus of psychology in Columbia
university, is defendant in an action
brought by his sister, Mrs. Theodore H.
Shear, and his aunt, Miss Jane A. Dun-
can, who have applied to the surrogate
for his removal from the trusteeship of
a fund left by his mother. At her
death in 1880 she left \$8,000 to be shar-
ed equally by Professor Quackenbos,
Mrs. Shear and Miss Duncan.

Besides involving the family in a bit-
ter dispute, the case has developed a
comic side, says the New York Herald.
A mince pie and a woman in the guise
of a Christmas messenger were em-
ployed to serve the aunt with process.
Mr. Shear, who is a lawyer and repre-
sents his wife and her aunt in the lit-
igation, said the other night that the
case is now being heard by Charles
Maas as referee. Mr. Shear said the
elder Mrs. Quackenbos died in 1889,
leaving the money in her son's hands
as trustee. He invested the money,
the lawyer said, and for a long time
paid interest to Mrs. Shear and Miss
Duncan. They had received no inter-
est 18 months up to a few
weeks ago, when application was made
to the surrogate for an accounting and
also for the professor's removal as ex-
ecutor.

In the course of the hearings before
the referee counsel for Professor
Quackenbos, desired to call Miss Dun-
can as a witness, but she evaded ser-
vice of summons until Christmas morn-
ing. Mr. Shear said the old lady every
year receives at Christmas a pie from
an old friend. When the basement
bell rang that morning and a young
woman, bearing a steaming mince pie,
asked for Miss Duncan, she was admit-
ted without suspicion. Miss Duncan
met her in the parlor, and the messen-
ger placed the pie in her hands. Across
the upper crust lay a summons direct-
ing her to appear before the surrogate
as a witness.

The ruse succeeded only partly. Mr.
Shear said the subpoena was only a
copy of the original order. As soon as
he discovered this fact he explained to
the surrogate that the service was in-
valid, and for that reason Miss Dun-
can has not appeared as a witness in
the case. The lawyer said the pie ap-
peared to be an excellent one, but it
formed no part of the Christmas din-
ner.

Professor Quackenbos declined to be
seen at his home in New York.

TO RENEW MODUS VIVENDI.

Newfoundland Will Wait Until the
Boer War is Disposed Of.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 30.—The colo-
nial government has undertaken to re-
new for the present year the French
modus vivendi, which expired
on Dec. 31st.

Mr. Chamberlain, the British colo-
nial secretary, wired the colonial gov-
ernment a request for this action last
Saturday, urging his desire to dispose
of the Boer war before reviving nego-
tiations with France respecting the
Newfoundland shore. The colonial
cabinet, in acquiescing to Mr. Cham-
berlain's request, recited the fact that
it was done as the colony's contribu-
tion towards the solution of the im-
perial problems in South Africa. New-
foundland, being unable to send men
there, takes this means of testifying
her co-operation in the imperial policy
and is confident that the redress of
her grievances will be next under-
taken.

It is generally understood that this
is the last time this measure will be
renewed and that it is only done now
for the foregoing reason.

MINERS ADJOURN.

Convention Decides to Meet at Indian-
apolis Next Year.

Indianapolis, Jan. 30.—The 13th an-
nual convention of the United Mine
Workers of America has adjourned
sine die after selecting Indianapolis
as the place for holding the conven-
tion next year.

The delegates to the joint confer-
ence to be held with the operators of
the country are instructed to vote for
Indianapolis for the joint conference
next year. The convention before ad-
journment voted \$1,000 for the aid of
the widows and orphans of the miners
killed in the Iowa disaster, adopted a
resolution against "government
by injunction," and adopted a
resolution favoring the re-enactment
of the Chinese exclusion act.

The resolutions adopted by the con-
vention against "government by in-
junction" ordered that May 17 be set
aside for holding meetings and agitat-
ing against the encroaching power of
the federal judiciary.

The resolution urged that the Amer-
ican Federation of Labor be asked to
do the same.

FORETOLD HER OWN DEATH.

Peculiar Circumstances Attend the
Demise of a Kenosha (Wis.) Girl.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 30.—Miss Anna
Ziesemer died suddenly under peculiar
circumstances in this city. She was
apparently in perfect health when she
started to work. She laughed and
chatted with her companions.

During the walk she turned to a
Miss Mary Link and said: "I am go-
ing to die in the afternoon."

The girl reached the factory and
started toward the work room, when she
fell in a faint. She was taken to
her home in a carriage and died short-
ly before 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Bob Kneeb, the horseman who be-
came famous a few years ago through
his imprisonment in Germany for rac-
ing an alleged "ringer," is dead at
Sioux City. He was 65 years old.

Among the passengers who sailed
for England on the Kaiser Wilhelm der
Grosse was Charles T. Yerkes, who is
returning to London to carry out his
contract for the underground electric
roads.

ENVOY OF THE KAISER.

Career of Prince Henry, Soon to
Visit the United States.

MOST POPULAR HOHENZOLLERN.

German Emperor's Personal Repre-
sentative at the Launching of His
New Yacht is a Linguist and Musi-
cian, a Student of Men and an
Adept at Statecraft.

Prince Heinrich, or "Heinrich the
Navigator," as loyal Germans love to
style him, who will soon visit the Uni-
ted States as the personal representa-
tive of Emperor William at the launch-
ing of the kaiser's new yacht, has been
from his youth the most popular of
Hohenzollern princes. He is the sec-
ond son of the late Emperor Freder-
ick, the only brother of the present
kaiser, and was born on Aug. 14, 1862.
Henry is the sailor prince of the im-
perial family, and, like most sailor
princes, he has always held a high
place in the affections of his people.
There are loyal Germans today who
regard Henry as the most talented
member of the Hohenzollern family.
With his father, whom Germany idol-
ized as "Unser Fritz," Henry was al-
ways a favorite son, and during the
long, painful illness of the emperor
Prince Henry was untiring in his filial
devotion. He personally is unlike his
brother, the emperor, in many ways.
In appearance he is not quite so tall,
but he has the strong, well knit figure
of a young man in perfect health, says
the New York Herald.

Members of the American reception
committee whose German may not be
so fluent as they could wish will find
that the sailor prince can meet them
on even terms with as polished Eng-
lish as their own. His English moth-
er is largely responsible for that. But
he is a linguist of no mean attain-
ments, and in cruising about the earth
he has picked up the vocabularies of
many strange tongues in addition to
those that usually form a part of the
educational equipment of a well in-
structed European prince.

Prince Henry is a born seaman. He
is never more happy than when on the
quarter deck of his flagship. But he
is also a keen student of men and af-
fairs and has loved to indulge in such
inland journeys in strange and distant
countries as his sailor duties would
permit. Less than forty years old, he
is an admiral of the German navy, and
sailor folk say that he has fairly won
his naval rank wholly apart from his
princely origin.

In questions of state his views are
consulted, and they are usually consid-
ered sound even by his somewhat im-
petuous imperial brother. Prince Hen-
ry plays the violin fairly well and is
the composer of the really fine "Preus-
senmarch," which is deservedly popu-
lar throughout Germany.

In May, 1888, Henry took to Berlin
as his wife the Princess Irene, third
daughter of the Grand Duke Louis of
Hesse and of his consort, the Princess
Alice of England. She is four years
younger than her husband. Both are
grandchildren of Victoria.

Prince Bismarck had opposed the
match on the ground that the high con-
tracting persons were first cousins.
Prince Henry declared that unless he
could wed Irene he would remain a
bachelor for life, and the threat had
the effect of bringing his elders to
terms speedily.

In the spring of 1884 he was in Lon-
don, where his royal grandmother,
Queen Victoria, always gave him a
warm welcome, and the sailor prince
was always popular among a nation of
sailors. But neither of these facts pre-
vented a dastardly attempt upon his
life. While he stood in one of the up-
per rooms of the Paddington railroad
station a dynamite bomb was exploded
in a cloakroom of the Victoria station
and wrecked that building. Dynamite
was also found similarly placed in the
Paddington station directly beneath
the apartment in which the Prussian
prince stood. The plot failed, but Hen-
ry's escape from death or serious in-
jury was considered marvelous.

Prince Henry became an internation-
al figure when in the winter of 1897
Emperor William announced that his
brother, now an admiral, would be sent
in command of a squadron to look
more carefully after the interests of
Germany in Chinese waters. Arriving
at Kiaochow in the spring of 1898,
Prince Henry went thence to Peking,
where a brilliant official reception
awaited him, and the Chinese govern-
ment made every possible effort to ap-
pease the dreaded wrath of Germany's
"war lord." Henry enjoyed the rare
distinction of being the only foreign
prince ever honored with a personal
audience by the emperor and the em-
press dowager of China.

Prince Henry has often been a con-
spicuous figure at the launching of
German and other vessels. In 1899,
before he left China, he attended as a
guest the launching of a trading ves-
sel. A plank fell from the rafters of
a shed under which the royal German
prince was standing, inflicting upon the
prince's scalp an ugly flesh wound.

In a cave in at Joplin, Mo., four
miners lost their lives and a number
of others were seriously injured.

Six thousand troops from various
regiments in India are about to start
from Calcutta for South Africa.

A cyclone has swept over the Canary
islands, doing much damage to prop-
erty and causing much shipwreck.

Vienna papers publish statements to
the effect that King Alexander of Ser-
bia is endeavoring to obtain a divorce
from Queen Draga.

President Roosevelt has decided to
decline all invitations to deliver public
speeches until congress has completed
its work for the session.

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delivered as follows: Central hose
house 95 cords. City jail 10 cords.
Electric light station 20 cords.